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The Daily Sentinel.

JOSIAH TURNER, Jr., EDITOR.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DR LAWRENCE'S

WOMAN'S FRIEND!

A SAFE AND RELIABLE REMEDY FOR ALL DISEASES

PECULIAR TO FEMALES.

SUCH AS

LEUCHORRHOEA, OR WHITES; PROLAPSUS UTERI, OR FALLING OF THE WOMB; IRREGULAR, PAINFUL OR SUPPRESSED MENSTRUATION; PAIN IN THE BACK; NERVOUSNESS, WAKEFULNESS, WEAKNESS, &C., &C., &C.

☞ Dedicated to the Ladies of America, for whose benefit it was designed, and whose happiness it will promote, by the discoverer, JOS. J. LAWRENCE, M. D.

TO PHYSICIANS.

The articles of which the WOMAN'S FRIEND is compounded are published around each bottle, and it is believed to be the

Best Uterine Tonic and Alterative yet Discovered.

☞ It is a valuable and reliable agent in all Derangements of the Reproductive Organs, and in Hysteria, Nervous Headache, Spinal Irritation, &c.

J. H. BAKER & CO.,
Wholesale Agents
No. 4 Main Street, Norfolk, Va.

☞ To whom all orders must be addressed.
FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Feb. 22-3m

ENCOURAGE HOME ENTERPRIZE!

[N]ort Carolina Mutual Home Insurance Company!

INCORPORATED DECEMBER, 1868.

CHARTERED CAPITAL.	AMOUNT NOW LIABLE FOR LOSSES.
$500,000.	$170,000.

OFFICERS:

JAMES H. FOOTE, President.
W. E. PELL, Vice Pres. SEATON GALES, Sec.
R. H. BATTLE, Treasurer.

R. G. LEWIS, A. W. LAWRENCE, J. H. DAVIS, } Executive Committee.

Gen. Ag't for Western N. C.—GEN. R. B. VANCE.
" " Eastern " THOS. THOMPSON.

Office: First door South of Raleigh Nat. Bank,

RALEIGH, N. C.

THIS HOME COMPANY, CHARTERED BY the Legislature of North Carolina, insures property against loss or damage by

FIRE, LIGHTNING, OR TORNADO,

and does business on the Mutual and Joint Stock plans.

The character of those who control the affairs of the Company is a sufficient guarantee that it is, what it professes to be, a HOME ENTERPRIZE, offering ample and liberal protection against loss by fire, &c., on the most easy and liberal terms to insurers.

The TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS in N. C. Bonds, required by the Charter to be deposited with the Public Treasurer, have promptly been so deposited and the Treasurer's receipt therefor obtained.

Policies are issued for a term not to exceed five years.

No other Company offers greater inducements to Insurers.

Now is the time for all who feel any interest in a HOME INSTITUTION to come forward and encourage this Company,—receiving, as they will, reciprocal benefit in the enhancement of value and protection of their property.

For further particulars, address the Secretary, or consult General or Local Agents, who will, in due time, be announced.

☞ ALL LOSSES PROMPTLY ADJUSTED AND PAID.

W. H. MURDOCH, Ass't. Sec. & Local Agt. | SEATON GALES, Secretary.

Jan. 30-3m

AUCTION, AUCTION.
MONDAY NIGHT.
Ladies Dress Goods, Calf Boots and Shoes and general Merchandise.
W. H. JONES & CO.
Feb. 22-tf Auc. & Com. Merchants.

GILLIAM & DUNLOP,

IRON AND STEEL WAREHOUSE,

121 SYCAMORE ST., PETERSBURG, VA.

KEEP CONSTANTLY on hand a full assortment of

IRON AND STEEL.

They are Agents for the sale of the celebrated

ARROW COTTON TIE,

FAIRBANKS' SCALES, (at N. Y. prices.)

OILS OF ALL KINDS at Wholesale,

AND

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

of all descriptions. Especial attention is invited to the BRINKETHOFF CORN SHELLER, CLEANER AND SEPARATOR, recommended by the U. S. Commissioner of Agriculture, as being "THE VERY BEST HAND SHELLER IN THE UNITED STATES." It requires only one man to feed and work it.

Orders promptly attended to.
Jan 20-3m

R. H. COWAN & CO.,

General Commission and Shipping Merchants,

AND

WHOLESALE GROCERS.

Agents for M. David & Son's (Liberty, Va.,) celebrated Virginia Chewing Tobacco.
Agents for Lister Bro's Superphosphate of Lime.
Agents for Vulcan Iron Works, Richmond, Va.

R. H. COWAN, JNO. W. CAMERON, JAS. H. HILL, } Wilmington, N. C., No. 32 North Water St.
Nov 26, 1868

SCUPPERNONG WINE.

Another consignment of the very best Scuppernong Wine.

ALSO

The Mish Grape Vines, and other varieties.
W. H. JONES & CO.,
Feb 24-tf Auc. & Com. Merchants.

JUST ARRIVED.

One hundred and twenty head of FINE MULES, just arrived at my Lot. Those desiring NO. 1 ANIMALS, now have a fine opportunity of procuring them.

They will remain in Raleigh six days
March 1-tf W F ASKEW.

SEMI-WEEKLY INDEX,
HENDERSON, N. C.

A Democratic Family Newspaper published every Tuesday and Friday, in Henderson, N. C., and circulating over the Counties of Granville, Warren and Franklin. Terms of advertising reasonable. Address,

HARRIS & NEWBY,
March 1-tf Henderson, N. C.

WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS.

SUPERIOR COTTON SEED!

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS!!

VICK COTTON SEED!

PEELER COTTON SEED!

MONTEREY COTTON SEED!

HAVING PERFECTED ARRANGEMENTS by which I can secure good seed from

THE FAR SOUTH,

I invite the attention of Farmers to specimen Seed at my Store.

☞ Orders solicited at once.

DOUGLAS BELL,
Fayetteville Street,
Feb 9-tf Raleigh, N. C.

SUGARS! SUGARS! SUGARS!

Sugars are high, and, if the revolution continues, they will go higher. Now is the time to buy. Twenty barrels Sugars on hand.
Feb. 24-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

CORN! CORN! CORN!
500 bushels Corn.
MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
200 bushels Meal.
SUPERIOR SEED OATS.
100 bushels Oats. For sale by
Feb. 24-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

Important to Farmers.

SUPER PHOSPHATES!

FINE GROUND BONE PHOSPHATES, $45 per Ton, in bags.
ALKALINE SUPER PHOSPHATES, $65 per Ton, in bags.
AMMONIATED SUPER PHOSPHATE, $70 per ton, in bags.
AMMONIATED SUPER PHOSPHATE, $75 per ton, in bags.
For sale by DOUGLAS BELL,
Raleigh, Feb 25-tf Fayetteville St.

BACON, LARD, SUGARS, of all grades.
Candy, Axle Grease.
Cotton Yarns and Sheetings.
Edgerton Snuff.
Concentrated Lye.
N. C. Shoes, Rice,
Rosin Soap, Buckets.
Sole Leather.
Just arrived, and for sale at
Feb. 13-tf UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

Nails, Nails.

OLD DOMINION NAILS, assorted numbers.
For sale by
Feb. 13-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

RAISINS! RAISINS!
New Layer Raisins on hand and for sale by
Feb. 13-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

SUGAR! SUGAR! SUGAR!
Crushed, Powdered, Extra C. Porto Rico, and Common Brown Sugars, for sale by
UPCHURCH & DODD.

CANDY! CANDY!
Another lot of newly-made Candy, in 25 lb. boxes, at UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

RAISINS! RAISINS!
Another supply of new Layer Raisins, at
UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

BACON AND LARD.
A new supply of new Bacon and Family Lard, at
UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

COTTON YARNS AND SHEETINGS.
Another supply of Holt's Sons Yarns and Sheetings, at UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!
Another supply of Shoes, N. C. manufacture.
UPCHURCH & DODD.

Molasses, Molasses.

8 HHDS. MORE OF THAT GOOD MOLASSES
For sale by
Feb. 13-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

MOLASSES! MOLASSES! MOLASSES!
NEW CROP! NEW CROP!
50 hhds. New Crop Molasses, to arrive.
10 " " " on hand.
At UPCHURCH & DODD'S.
Feb 27-tf

SNUFF! SNUFF! SNUFF!

DIP, DIP, DIP.

FRESH SNUFF, FRESH SNUFF.

EGERTON'S SCOTCH SNUFF, the only Snuff that will sell in this Market. It has been used in this State for more than twenty-five years, and will be used for the next twenty-five years to come.
For sale Wholesale and Retail by
Jan. 28-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FRESH CANNED TOMATOES, Pickles by the gallon or hundred.
Feb 6-tf A. D. TAYLOR.

ANOTHER CRATE OF FINE CABBAGE, at
A. D. TAYLOR'S.
Feb. 17-tf No. 10 Hargett Street.

RED SOLE LEATHER GOODS, AND GOOD damaged.
A. D. TAYLOR.
Feb. 17-tf No. 10 Hargett St.

FOR SALE.
N. C. Family Flour, said to be equal to the Baltimore Family Flour.
March 1-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

SEED OATS
A few left.
March 1-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

DESSICATED CODFISH
In 1 lb. boxes, very nice.
March 1-tf W. H JONES & CO.

FOR SALE.
A consignment of Miscellaneous Books.
Feb 24-tf W. H. JONES & CO

ANOTHER ARRIVAL OF
Fresh canned Tomatoes,
do do Peaches,
do do Lobsters.
At A D TAYLOR'S,
March 1-tf No 10 Hargett St.

LIFE INSURANCE.

THE KNICKERBOCKER

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF NEW YORK.

Southern Branch, SAVANNAH, Ga.

A. WILBUR, *Manager.*
R. D. ARNOLD, *Consulting Physician.*

THE ONLY BRANCH OFFICE OF LIFE INSURANCE IN THIS SECTION WHERE POLICIES ARE ISSUED AND LOSSES PAID.

ASSETS NEARLY

$5,000,000.

ANNUAL INCOME NEARLY

$3,000,000.

Annual Dividends nearly 50 per cent.

$73,500 LOSSES PAID BY THE SOUTHERN BRANCH IN TWO YEARS.

THE KNICKERBOCKER IS AN OLD, RELIABLE Company, and offers as great inducements to insurers as any solvent Company can. Issues Policies on every desirable plan. Loans one-third of Premium to Policy-Holder.

All Policies non-forfeitable, as the insured can at any time, on demand, get its surrender value.

NO RESTRICTIONS ON RESIDENCE OR TRAVEL.

NO EXTRA CHARGE for OFFICERS of the ARMY or NAVY. Officers of first-class Steam or Sail Vessels, or Railroad Conductors, &c.

The "KNICKERBOCKER" is ONE of the TWO Northern Companies whose Policies in the South were kept intact during the entire Rebellion, whose Dividends were accredited to Policy Holders as though Premiums were paid.

And is THE Company that paid all losses after the war, that occurred during the war, thus proving its integrity, the honorable method of conducting its business, and its indisputable solvency.

The KNICKERBOCKER still pays all losses, never disputes a just claim, and is as liberal and SAFE as any Company in America.

W. S. BELDEN,
General Agent for N. C.,
Raleigh.

GEO. H. SNOW, Agent, Raleigh.
Jan. 21-3m

MISCELLANEOUS.

HENRY V. NIEMEYER,

General COMMISSION MERCHANT,

AND DEALER IN

PROVISIONS, LIME, COAL, SALT,

Lumber, Bricks, Plaster & Cement

PERUVIAN GUANO & SUPER PHOSPHATE, RAW BONE, LAND PLASTER & LIME,

HIGH STREET & CENTRAL WHARF,

PORTSMOUTH, Va.

Special attention to sales of Cotton, Grain, Lumber, Naval Stores, &c., coming by any Railroad Canal or Water course.
Feb 10-3m

The North Carolina Land Co.

HAVE for sale a fine 2 story frame House in the City of Raleigh, with 16 rooms, fire place in each. Feb 5-tf

THE N. C. LAND COMPANY have applications for two or three Dwelling Houses in the City
Feb 5-tf

JOHN S DANCY, Tarboro, N. C. | F. M HYMAN, Late Warrent'n N. C. | T. B. HYMAN, of N. Y.

HYMANS & DANCY,

General Commission Merchants,

No. 47 Wide Water St., (Rear of Custom House,)
NORFOLK, Va.

DANCY, HYMAN & CO.,

General COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

No. 24 Exchange Place, New York.

Cotton and other produce sold at owners option in Norfolk or New York, charging only one commission. feb 3-tf

Family Carriage for Sale.

A NEAT LIGHT CARRIAGE, with Shafts and Tongue, and two sets Harness, arranged for one or two horses, but little used and in perfect order.
JAS. M. TOWLES,
Feb. 18-tf Auction & Com. Merchant.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

RALEIGH & GASTON RAILROAD CO.,
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,
Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 22d, 1869.

On and after Feb. 22d, 1869, Trains will run on the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad, as follows:

Mail Train leaves Raleigh	7.20 A. M.
Arrives at Weldon	2.10 P. M.
Mail Train leaves Weldon	10.15 A. M.
Arrives at Raleigh	4.45 P. M.
Freight Train leaves Raleigh	11.35 P. M.
" " arrives at Raleigh	9.30 A. M.

The Mail Trains make through connections with all points North and South.
A. B. ANDREWS,
Feb. 22-tf Superintendent.

FIELD AND GARDEN SEEDS.

Warranted Crop of 1868.

JUST RECEIVED, from the oldest and most reliable Seedman in the Southern country, a full supply of the best varieties of Garden Seeds. Also, Red Clover, Herd Grass, Timothy, Orchard and Blue Grass Seed. Orders respectfully solicited
Feb 6-tf JAS. M. TOWLES.

R. S. HEATH, C. W. FRAZER.

HEATH & FRAZER,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

MEMPHIS, TENN.

Feb. 24-3m

LIFE INSURANCE.

ÆTNA

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

HON. E. A. BULKELEY, President,
AUSTIN DUNHAM, Vice "
T. O. ENDERS, Secretary.
H. W. StJOHN, Actuary.

SUMMARY OF BUSINESS FOR 1867

Total Assets, over	$10,000,000
Polices Insured in '67,	15,251
Am'nt insured, nearly	$45,000,000
Policies Average "	3,000
Receipts for 1867,	5,129,447
Surplus for Dividends,	2,000,000

Dividend Fifty per cent.

Receipts for Interest Nearly Paid Its Losses.

It has $130 Assets for every $100 Liabilities.

Its premium receipts at the present time are nearly HALF A MILLION DOLLARS per month and are rapidly increasing.

The growth of the Ætna has never been equaled by any other Company whatsoever, in Europe or America.

Particular attention is called to the fact that while its business is increasing unprecedentedly, its ratio of expenses is comparatively small.

ECONOMY of management, CARE in the selection of risks, *promptness* in the payment of death claims, and *security* in the investment of its immense Trust Funds, are rigidly adhered to, and have ever characterized this Company.

The ÆTNA issues all the favorite kinds of Polices at the most favorable rates.

The ÆTNA issued last year more Endowment Insurances than any other Company.

The ÆTNA'S ratio of expenses, or cost of new business is less than any other Company whatsoever, and less than *two-thirds* of the average.

The ÆTNA is as liberal in permits to travel, in all parts of the world, as a sound discretion will warrant, and is much more liberal than any other prominent Company.

ANNUAL INCOME over $6,000,000.

The only Company that has the Low Participating Non-forfeitable Term Insurance with privilege of renewal. Ex. of rate at age 30 $14 67, which is nearly 40 per cent. lower than any other leading Company. Also

Non-forfeiting cash rates with dividends on contribution plan and payable at the end of the first year.

Description of Policies.

First—Whole Life Policies.
Second—Endowment Policies, for terms of ten fifteen, twenty, twenty-five, thirty, and thirty-five years.

AGES.

Insurance will be granted at all ages from fifteen to sixty years.

PREMIUMS.

Premiums are payable annually during the continuance of the insurance, or annually during a period of five, ten, fifteen, or twenty years within the insurance term, or by single payment.

DIVIDENDS.

All Whole Life and Endowment Policies, issued at the rates published herewith, will participate in the surplus from the date of issue.

The dividends will be declared and paid annually upon the contribution plan, and may be applied as the assured shall elect, either to reduce future premiums, or to increase the Cash Value of the Policy.

If no election be made the dividends will be added to the Cash Values.

When, by adding the dividends to the Cash Value, the accumulations on any Policy shall have become sufficient to keep the same in force for its *full amount*, without further payments, the assured may, at his option, either continue payment of premiums—and enlarge thereby the annual additions to its Cash Value—or discontinue them; and in either case, when the accumulations shall have become equal to the sum insured, the annual dividends on the Policy will be declared as a per centage of said sum, and *paid in cash*, and upon surrender of said Policy the sum insured thereby will be paid in *full*, without regard to the time fixed therein for its payment.

The system of applying the dividends is peculiarly advantageous to the assured, securing, at an increased age, not only relief from further payment of premiums, but, at the same time, an annual income until death, unless he shall have previously received full payment of the Policy.

Dividends on paid-up Policies—that is, Policies which require no further payment of premium to continue them in force for the original amount of insurance—will be paid in cash upon demand.

NON-FORFEITURE RULES.

No whole Life or Endowment Policy, on which two or more annual cash premiums have been paid, shall be forfeited by failure to make further payment as stipulated therein, but will continue in force for the full amount which the Cash Value and dividends, then accumulated, will purchase, taken as a single net premium, upon the "Actuaries" rate of mortality and four per cent. interest; and the amount continued in force will generally exceed the aggregate of the payments actually made, extra charges excepted.

W. H. CROW,
General Agent
And Manager for Virginia, South of the James, and the State of North Carolina.
Dec. 16-tf *Office, Raleigh, N. C.*

THE

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO.,

OF NEW YORK.

ORGANIZED 1843.

CASH ACCUMULATIONS OVER $30,000,000, AND EXCLUSIVELY THE PROPERTY OF THE POLICY HOLDERS.

DIVIDENDS ANNUALLY IN CASH, WHICH CAN BE USED EITHER TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF POLICY OR TO DECREASE THE ANNUAL PREMIUMS.

Over $300,000 returned to Southern Policy Holders, after the War, as the Surrender Value of their Policies.

Policies issued on all approved plans, and particular attention called to the ENDOWMENT POLICIES of this Company, as a safe and profitable investment. *For further particulars, apply to*

O. P. BRESEE, GEN. AG'T., BALTIMORE, MD.

C. C. CROW, Agent, Raleigh, N. C.
JACOB PARKER, " Warrenton, "
A. S. CALDWELL, " Charlotte, "

☞ Other Agents of the Company will be announced in due time.
Feb. 10-3m

THE

EQUITABLE

LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY,

OF

NEW YORK.

THE rapid advancement of "THE EQUITABLE," to the very front rank of American Life Insurance Companies, the *unprecedented* amount of its *new Business* for the year ending September 30th, 1868, being over

FIFTY MILLIONS OF DOLLARS,

the large accumulation by it of EIGHT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, together with an annual income of FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, afford the very best evidences of its *popularity, success* and reliability.

A brief comparison of the Society's business for the first nine years of its organization, will best illustrate its remarkable progress.

PROGRESS OF THE SOCIETY.

Years.	No. Policies Issued	Sum Assured	Income.	Assets.
1859 5 mos.	277	$1,178,000 00	$23,514 00	$120,772 00
1860	612	1,905,500 00	77,424 00	162,818 00
1861	678	1,318,750 00	107,847 00	216,836 00
1862	1,233	2,833,450 00	174,016 00	332,299 00
1863	1,623	4,501,900 00	306,471 00	584,714 00
1864	2,873	8,758,550 00	613,491 00	1,017,977 00
1865	3,425	13,748,550 00	971,505 75	1,566,523 93
1866	7,245	30,072,450 00	2,069,077 00	3,077,769 00
1867	10,463	45,730,520 00	3,247,022 74	5,120,423 13
*1868	*11,696	51,866,814 00	*5,100,000 00	*8,000,000 00

*Year ending September 30th, 1868.

STANDING OF THE EQUITABLE SINCE ITS ORGANIZATION.—In 1860, it was the ninth. In 1861, the eighth. In 1862 and 1863, the seventh. In 1864 and '65, the sixth. In 1866, the fourth. In 1867, Equal the 2nd.

DIVIDENDS PAID ANNUALLY IN CASH.

Agents wishing to represent the Society, or persons wishing information in regard to Life Assurance, will please address special Agents.

HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO.,
General Agents,
Charlotte, N. C.

W. H. FINCH, Special Agent for N. C.

T. C. HOOPER, J. R. B. HATHAWAY, J. B. MARTIN, } TRAVELING AGENTS.
Dec. 18-3m

RALEIGH

SASH, BLIND AND DOOR FACTORY.

All orders promptly attended to.
THOS. H. BRIGGS,
Dec 1. Proprietor.

The N. C. Land Company

HAVE orders for 50 or 100,000 acres of timbered Swamp Lands in the Eastern part of the State. Any person having such land to dispose of, on reasonable terms, will address
R. W. BEST,
Sec'y and Treas'r,
Feb. 6-tf Raleigh, N. C.

TO TOBACCONISTS.

THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE JUST RECEIVED 2,500 pounds

PURE LICORICE MASS,

compromising the following celebrated brands, viz: G H., F. N. F. & R. R. which they will sell in cases at the NEW YORK PRICES, freight and charges added.
Feb. 15-tf P. F. PESCUD & SON.

N. C. SHEETINGS AND COTTON YARNS, at Factory Prices, by the bale.
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 10-tf

CHOICE MARYLAND HAMS, at 23cts.
A. D. TAYLOR,
Feb 6-tf No. 10 Hargett St.

SPONGE.

P. F. PESCUD & SON HAVE JUST RECEIVED a choice stock of all kinds of Sponge some of which is the most beautiful and desirable we have seen for many years.
Feb. 15-tf

A FRESH SUPPLY OF EXCELSIOR, (Saratoga) Water expected Thursday, at
Feb 15-tf P. F. PESCUD & SON'S.

Office W. C. & Ruth. R. R. Co.,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 12, 1869.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of this Company will be held in Wilmington on Thursday, April 15th, 1869, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to consider certain amendments proposed to the Charter of the Company by the General Assembly of North Carolina, now in session.

A printed copy of the bill proposing said amendments will be forwarded to each Stockholder.

Transfer Books will be closed on the 15th day of March.

By order of the Board of Directors:
I. T. ALDERMAN,
Feb. 15 2awtd Secretary.

WANTED.—A MULE, NOT LESS THAN 10 years old, and not more than 13 years old, blind in both eyes, large in size.
Apply next door to "Sentinel" office.
Feb. 20-tf

SUPERIOR SUGAR-CURED HAMS.
For sale by
A D TAYLOR,
March 1-tf No 10 Hargett Street

CARPET WARP! CARPET WARP!
Cotton Warp for Carpets, ALREADY DYED and READY FOR USE.
ROPE! ROPE!! ROPE!!!
WRAPPING TWINE,
CORDAGE, &c.
Dec. 1 THOS. H. BRIGGS.

FOR SALE.
Pure N. C. FRENCH BRANDY, made from the scuppernong Wine, for medicinal purposes.
W. H. JONES & CO.,
Jan 13-tf Auc'rs & Com. Merchants.

NEW RESTAURANT.

MARTIN STREET,

OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS ELEGANTLY fitted up and furnished this house, and is is now ready for the

Accommodation of the Public,

which will at all times be supplied with the

BEST VIANDS

this and foreign markets afford.

SPECIAL ROOMS

will always be kept in readiness for private parties.
A. W. FRAPS.
Feb 8-d3m

Piano Tuning and Repairing.

W. H. VAUGHN, PRACTICAL TUNER and Repairer of Pianos, will attend to any orders addressed to him, at Raleigh. He is known in this City, and all work done by him is warranted to give satisfaction.
Feb 18-1m*

LIFE INSURANCE.

The Most Vigorous and the Most Liberal Insurance Company in the Country.

BROOKLYN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

141 Broadway, N. Y.

ASSETS OVER

$1,000,000!

CHRISTIAN W. BOUCK, ... *President.*
ABRAM D. POLHEMUS, ... *Vice President.*
WILLIAM M. COLE, ... *Secretary.*
D. P. FACKLER, ... *Consulting Actuary.*
DANIEL AYRES, M. D., LL.D., *Med. Examiner.*

POLICIES ISSUED AS GOOD AS UNITED STATES BONDS.

POLICIES VALUABLE IN LIFE AS AT DEATH!

The BROOKLYN LIFE is the only Company in the country which guaranties a definite surrender-value to every Policy on which two or more annual premiums have been paid; this amount, in dollars and cents, is endorsed on every Policy issued, should any Policy-holder become unable to pay his premiums, he can thus know the cash worth of the Policy at any time after two annual premiums have been paid.

This certainty is the greatest inducement and most tangible advantage ever accorded to parties insuring their lives.

Among the advantages offered by the BROOKLYN, which thoroughly evince the determination of the officers to make it the MOST LIBERAL Life Insurance Company in the United States, are:

1st TOTAL REMOVAL OF ALL RESTRICTIONS OF TRAVEL AND RESIDENCE. The Assured may travel or reside anywhere they choose, the world over, without extra premium or special permit.

2d. A Loan of one-third of the Premium to the Policy-Holder Annually.

3d. All Policies are non-forfeitable after two full annual premiums have been paid.

4th. Rates as low as are consistent with financial soundness, and less than those of almost all Companies which accommodate their assured with loans.

5th. Dividends annually (after second year) in cash. Dividends are divided on the CONTRIBUTION PLAN—the only equitable manner of dividing the earnings of a Life Insurance Company. The Contribution Plan was first conceived by Mr. D. P. Fackler, now Actuary of this Company, and has been adopted by most of the best managed Life Companies in this country.

The BROOKLYN LIFE has paid and now pays to its Policy-holders LARGER DIVIDENDS than ever before paid by a Life Insurance Company!

6th. Promptitude in paying losses.

7th. No charge for policy or stamp.

The success which the "BROOKLYN" has achieved, fully exemplified in its rapid and healthful growth, is a convincing proof of the confidence reposed by the public in its soundness, integrity and liberality.

A. W. LAWRENCE, Raleigh.
GENERAL AGENT FOR NORTH CAROLINA.
Dec. 19-3m

PETERSBURG ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO THE WHOLESALE TRADE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

DAVIS, DRAKE & CO.,

DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

DRY GOODS,

CORNER OF SYCAMORE AND BANK STREETS,

PETERSBURG, Va.,

RESPECTFULLY CALL YOUR ATTENTION to their large and attractive stock of

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THE SENTINEL.

JOSIAH TURNER, Jr., EDITOR.

THURSDAY, MARCH 4, 1869.

OUR MINISTER OF FINANCE.

The Governor, and his Minister of Finance, David Jenkins, the Treasurer, in January last, presented a most alarming picture of the financial condition of the State.

The Treasury was on the eve of bankruptcy, the credit of the State so low, that the Minister could not borrow $30,000 dollars to pay the January interest due in New York.

Every day's legislation since then, has had a tendency to increase the perils which then surrounded the Minister of Finance.—Bills, calling for the appropriation of 18,000,000 of dollars for Railroads, could be found on the table of members with a fair prospect of all being passed at this session.

What can be before us but bankruptcy, public bankruptcy, and what is public bankruptcy but public ruin? There will not, there cannot be, prosperity for a people, where the whole social compact, the whole people, the whole State, have gone into public bankruptcy; and, yet, this General Assembly, now in session, is every day forcing the State into public bankruptcy as it by legislative enactment or decree.

When this Legislature adjourns, our State debt will be over 43,000,000 of dollars (some say 45,000,000) most of it a new debt created since 1865, and to build Railroads. Building Railroads by means of State bonds, worth now about forty cents in the dollar, is of it self, bankruptcy and ruin. The people of North Carolina would never be guilty of such stupendous folly, if they were represented by men who had regard for them, their property, or their public or private character.

Hon. D. W. Courts, former Treasurer of the State, sends us the following letter addressed to him as Treasurer. We do not know the writer, he may not have intended it for publication. If he did not, we can only beg his pardon when we meet him, and render as an excuse for publishing it that his letter goes home to every honest tax payer, who feels any concern for the public welfare and honor of the State.

If the nine lag members of the General Assembly will read this letter, they will recoil with dismay from the contemplation of their own work.

But the carpet baggers, two thirds of whom pay no tax, may say, on with the work, while John Brown's soul is marching on; let no rebel impede the onward march of civilization.

76 CHAMBERS STREET,
New York, Feb. 18th, 1869.

Hon. D. W. Courts, State Treasurer:

DEAR SIR:—I learn that strong efforts are being made to procure aid from the Legislature of your State for the construction of certain Railroads. Being largely interested in the credit of the State of North Carolina, I beg leave to suggest, that it would seem highly inexpedient to consider the question of increasing a debt so long as the debtor is not in condition to pay the interest on obligations already existing, or so long as such interest is met wholly or in part by borrowing.

I would also suggest, that any bonds, now or hereafter issued, will naturally be payable in gold, which will, before long, become again the standard of values. The present price is 60 per cent. for North Carolina new bonds, bearing at this date, nearly eight months, or 4 per cent, back interest, the coupon due January 1st, being still unpaid. This is lower than the price of bonds of any State of the Union, and is equal to a gold value of only about 41 per cent. Consequently, it will be seen that the State gets for $410, in gold, a bond by which it agrees to pay, at a future day, $1,000 in gold, besides paying interest thereon semi annually. Assuming that any new bonds to be issued will be payable in twenty years, it will be observed that the rise from $400 to $1,000 is 6 per cent. per annum on par, or 7½ per cent. per annum on the $400 received, and the 4 per cent. interest on $40 is 15 per cent per annum, making in all twenty-two and one-half per cent. per annum paid for the use of the money.

I am very sure this policy would be bad for an individual, and cannot believe it to be wise for a State. If your neighbor, the merchant or planter, were to borrow money at 20 to 25 per cent. per annum for twenty years, you would, without a moment's hesitation, say, such a policy must inevitably lead to bankruptcy. A State is but an aggregation of individuals.

I will be greatly obliged if you will communicate this letter to any members of the Legislature to whom it may be of use.

I have the honor to be
Your ob't servant,
C. B. CURTIS.

Gov. Brownlow, has reached Washington City, as a member of Congress from Tennessee. Before leaving home, he seemed to have a presentment that on the way, he would be molested, and it seems, his forebodings, were, partially realized. His health is, and has been very bad for some time, but it seems "he endured the trip remarkably well." The trip was characterized by no incident, except at Charlottesville, Va., where, according to one of the Governor's party, a number of young men entered the special car, one, about 18 years old, with a pistol, who approached the place where the ex-Governor was sleeping, and declared that he would rather shoot the old skunk than eat."

That boy deserves a genteel thrashing.

CORRECTION.—It is due to Mr. Welker to state that he, and not Senator Respass, is the author of the Bill requiring the sale of Swamp Lands by the Board of Education, to be submitted to the Legislature for approval.

JUDICIAL DEFORMITY.

A Lord Chancellor of England, once said, "a Judge who looked more to popular applause, than to the law, was a deformed thing."

Our Judiciary seem to have lost all independence, and are looking to popular opinion, rather than to the law.

All the Judges, in the late election, save one, lent themselves to party, and worked, wrote or spoke, to secure their own election, and the election of their party. Having once entered the political ring, they now find themselves carried, perhaps insensibly, and irresistably, beyond what they at first imagined, or now desire.

Judge Reade, upon reflection, must be ill-satisfied with the performance of his first Judicial act, under the new Constitution. Called upon to swear in the members of the House of Representatives, he requested certain members, not generally of his party, to stand aside, thereby making himself the Judge of the qualification and election of the members of the Legislature. If he agreed to this with Holden and Caldwell, (as is said,) then the act is little short of Judicial corruption.

Writing the Legislative Address, which was signed by the Lieutenant Governor, Todd R. Caldwell, and eighty eight members of the General Assembly, and for which, John Ragland, Representative from Granville, did say, and now says, they all should be hung, was an extra Judicial act, and a wicked production, which will long want his own conscientious approval.

These two acts of Judge Reade had prepared the public mind to receive from that Judge, almost any opinion, without astonishment. Yet, he did astonish them in his opinion on the stay law, which will be found in another column of our paper.—The bar speak of it in unqualified terms, not of disapprobation, but of condemnation.

He shows the consciousness of Judicial letting down, and speaks of his own opinion as a "discourse," and discourse it is.—The liberty and property of any country is insecure when the Judiciary bend their neck to the political yoke of a party.

The "discourse," as the Judge calls his own Judicial opinion, he knew would cause grief to his party; he therefore determined, in the same "discourse," to administer comfort to his partizans.

In administering comfort, he violates all judicial propriety. If the Judge had concluded his "discourse" by saying, "my party have a peculiar claim upon me, and I will not destroy their expectations," it would have well accorded with the whole tenor of the "discourse."

We give the discourse to our readers, with a promise to give it further notice, hereafter.

FROM ARIZONA.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 27.

Advices from Arizona report numerous engagements with the Indians, both on the part of troops and citizens.

The Indians had killed a soldier near Fort Whipple, and attacked a train near the Vulture mine, killing one Mexican and capturing another. The teamers fought desperately and recaptured the stock.

A squaw, picked up near Camp Grant, said she was sent by the chiefs of several bands of Apaches to sue for peace on any terms, as they were starving. On examination, she proved to be one of Goodwin's "friendly Indians," who committed many depredations in Southern Arizona last fall.

A troop of cavalry were ordered to pursue the Indians, and came up with them, killing seven men and one squaw, and capturing several more.

On the 5th instant a band of Apaches attacked and killed a party of three Mexicans, going to Tobleridon.

An American named Scott has been killed near Petreo.

Advices from Southern Utah reported trouble with the Navajoes, who had raided the Pi Ute country and driven off stock.—Citizens are in pursuit.

The Central Pacific railroad is again open.

Advices from the plains state that Little Raven and three hundred Arrapahoes have surrendered to the military authorities.

THE INDIANS—WISDOM VS. LOGAN—SHARP HITS.—In the House, Saturday, Mr. Logan said he should like to see Mr. Mix, the chief clerk of the Indian Bureau, mounted on a high horse, under the lead of the gentleman from Minnesota (Mr. Windom,) with a lasso in his hand chasing the fourteen year old Indian bucks to put breeches on them. (Laughter.) What a beautiful sight, too, it would be to see a Comanche walking up with a stove pipe hat on his head before he got his breeches on. (Laughter.) He was not willing to vote money for any such ridiculous purpose.

Mr. Windom suggested that when they got up a caravan on the Plains the gentleman from Illinois should accompany it as a clown.

Mr. Logan: No, sir. Clowns are cheap now a days, and the gentleman (Mr. Windom) will not be in Congress, his services can be got cheap. (Laughter.) But if the gentleman will put on a suit of soldier's clothes, with a musket and bayonet, I will go with him and teach him to kill Indians.

Mr. Windom: Will it cost a million of dollars for every one you kill?

Mr. Logan: No, sir; I will not charge a cent. I never killed anybody that I know of, and I am very certain the gentleman never will.

Mr. Windom: I hope not.

Mr. Logan: I do not know why the gentleman should think of employing me as a clown.

Mr. Windom: Only for your capacity; that is all. (Laughter.)

Mr. Logan: I never knew a circus worth anything without a clown.

Mr. Windom: That is why we want you.

Mr. Logan: I am necessary in the House. It could not spare me for a moment.—(Laughter.) These gentlemen have been so much with Indians that they cannot behave themselves. There is not an Indian squaw in the whole Sioux camp that has not better manners than the delegate from Dakotah. (Laughter.)

Gen. Sherman dismisses the office seekers who are badgering him for his influence with Gen Grant, with the following decisive refusal:

I will not, under any circumstances, recommend anybody for any civil office whatever, not even Lieut. Gen. Grant the appointment of any one. I will endorse your military career for military appointment with pleasure, when there is a vacancy, but nothing more.

Legislature of North Carolina.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

EIGHT SESSION.
TUESDAY, March 2, 1869.

According to adjournment the House was called to order at half past 7 o'clock.

By Mr. Mooring: A bill to incorporate Wm. T. Baine Lodge, No 93, A. Y. M. Wake county. Referred.

A message was received from the Senate, announcing the passage of several House bills with amendments.

The bills were placed upon the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Renfrow, the roll was called and 77 members were ascertained to be present.

The bill laying off the Homestead and personal property exemption was again considered.

The question recurred upon Mr. Pou's amendment, to be known as section 28, which was adopted by a vote of yeas 57, nays 24.

Mr. Barnett moved to reconsider the vote just taken.

Mr. Malone moved to lay that motion on the table.

Upon that motion the yeas and nays were called, resulted yeas 39, nays 39.

The Speaker voted in the negative.

The question recurred upon the motion to reconsider, when, a lengthy debate ensued and the House adjourned without coming to a vote on the motion.

SENATE.

WEDNESDAY, March 3, 1869.

Senate met at 10 o'clock.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Atkinson, of the city.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Graham, from the Judiciary Committee, reported back several bills with recommendations, which will be noticed when acted on.

Mr. Wrestead, from the same Committee, reported back a bill to authorize the re-establishment of Court records.

Mr. Beeman, from the Committee on Finance, made sundry reports on private bills.

Mr. Eaves, from Committee on Internal Improvements, a bill to charter the Milton and Danville Railroad, recommending its passage.

Mr. Brogden, from the Finance Committee, a bill to have the bonds of the State properly authenticated.

Also a bill to suspend the collection of certain taxes for the present. Favorably.

A message was received from the House, transmitting several engrossed bills passed by that body, and asking the concurrence of the Senate. The bills were read first time and referred to appropriate Committees and will be noticed again before the Senate.

Mr. Welker gave notice that he would introduce a bill to amend an act of 1858, appointing a Board of Medical examiners.

Mr. Winstead: A bill to transfer business from Military to Civil Courts. Referred.

Mr. Lassiter: A bill repealing an act passed 1858 '9, relative to Roanoke Navigation Co. Referred.

Mr. Barrow moved that the Clerk of the Senate be required to have a calendar published once a week for the use of members.

Mr. Love opposed on the ground of useless expense.

Mr. Sweet said it was true that heretofore there had been some unnecessary printing done. He favored the passage of the motion upon the ground that it would facilitate the action on business.

Messrs. Lassiter and Welker also favored the motion and gave similar reasons.

Mr. Moore, of Carteret, called the previous question. The call was sustained and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Welker, by consent, introduced a bill to require the Board of Education to invest the proceeds of sales.

By Mr. Moore, of Carteret: A resolution to retain E. S. Martin as Page to the Senate.

Mr Forkner stated that the Doorkeeper of the Senate was now absent, and he moved that the proposition be postponed until his return, and called the previous question.

Mr. Robbins enquired whether the Page was an appointee of the Doorkeeper, or of the Senate.

The Chair stated that the Doorkeeper made the appointment.

The call for the previous question was not sustained.

Mr. Robbins thought well of the Page, and had no objections to him, but was unwilling to interfere with the prerogative of the Doorkeeper. He therefore moved to postpone the matter for a week.

Mr. Barrow moved the indefinite postponement of the whole matter.

Mr. Hayes opposed the indefinite postponement.

Mr. Welker thought it wrong, for the appointment of Pages to rest with the Doorkeeper, as the duties to be discharged by them, was to the Senate.

Mr. Forkner thought that this matter was hasty and unjust to the absent Doorkeeper. He was for holding him responsible for any short coming on the part of his subordinates. If he would not employ proper subordinates, the proper way was to dismiss him, and get one that would.

Mr. Sweet thought it would be best to pass the resolution. He had heard something relative to this matter. If what he had heard be true, it reflected credit on the Page, and he ought to be retained.

Mr. Lassiter hoped it would not pass. If he had any complaints to make, in regard to the duties of the Page, he went to the Doorkeeper, and not to his subordinates.

Mr. Sweet raised the point that the motion to indefinitely postpone was out of order.

The point was sustained.

The question was then on the motion to postpone until to-day week.

Mr. Sweet thought that it would be as well to raise a Committee to enquire into the matters in dispute between the Doorkeeper and Page. He had understood that the Page had given information of the fact, that the Principal Doorkeeper had been in the habit of taking stationery, &c., from the Capitol, at night, to his own house, and that he had also given a quantity to the Page, whereupon he (the Page) had consulted Friday Jones as to what disposition he should make of it, as he knew it was wrong, and did not intend to be implicated in any such arrangements. Friday advised him to return it to the proper officer, and he accordingly had deposited it in an office in the Capitol, where it could now be seen. If these statements be true, he thought the Page should be commended for his fidelity.

Mr. Hayes here interrupted Mr. S., and hoped that the Reporters would take notes of all that was said on this subject.

Mr. Barrow did not believe these stories. He had examined the store rooms of Secretary of State, and was satisfied the report was incorrect. He thought these proceedings unjust to the Doorkeeper, who was absent. If stationery had been drawn, he thought it had been done by members themselves.

Mr. Moore, of Carteret, said that it was certain stationery had been taken out at night, that was not carried to members. He wanted the matter settled.

Mr. Forkner was for dispensing of the Doorkeeper, if he had been guilty of wrong, but thought it unjust to act on this matter in his absence.

Mr. Jones thought justice demanded that this matter should be put off until the return of the Doorkeeper. If he had been guilty of the charges brought against him, he would vote to displace him notwithstanding he was a constituent of his.

The Senate voted to postpone.

Mr. Barrow gave notice, that he should move to dispense with Pages.

Mr. Welker: A resolution relative to the Deep River and Cape Fear Navigation Co.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The bill to provide for a system of public instruction being under consideration.—Quite an animated debate sprung up on an amendment proposed by Mr. Love—to prevent the employment of colored teachers, in any event, for white pupils.

Mr. Moore, of Carteret, proposed to amend the amendment by a clause prohibiting the employment of white teachers for colored pupils.

Mr. Love took the ground that the proposition to amend his amendment was a dodge, to avoid a direct vote. He called upon Republicans to face the music. They had said, in the canvass, that they were opposed to mixed schools. He wanted them now to vote it straight out. They would be held responsible by the people for their action on this proposition, &c.

Mr. Lindsay would support the amendment, but thought the gentleman from Haywood had exhibited too much party feeling in the matter.

Messrs. Brogden, Forkner, Sweet, Smith and others, also participated in the discussion, all taking the ground, that the amendment was unnecessary, as other provisions of the bill had already covered the ground.

The vote was taken and the amendment to the amendment prevailed.

The vote on the amendment as amended was then taken and it was lost.

After some unimportant amendment the further consideration of the bill was dispensed with until to-morrow.

A message from the House with the bill authorizing the Public Treasurer to supply temporary deficiency in the Treasury.

On motion the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WEDNESDAY, March 3, 1869.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Long, of Chatham, of the House.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Leaves of absence were granted to Messrs. Downing, Davidson, Smith, of Alleghany, Smith, of Wayne, and Stevens.

By Mr. French: A bill to incorporate the Independent Telegraph Company. Referred.

By the same, another bill exempting property held by the Masonic Fraternity in this State, from taxation. Referred.

By Mr. Moore, of Chowan, a resolution ordering the Calendar of each week to be printed. Lies over.

On motion of Mr. Malone, the rules were suspended, and the bill to authorize the Public Treasurer to borrow money to supply temporary deficiencies in the Treasury, was taken up and passed its third reading by a vote of yeas 58, nays 14.

Mr. Barnett from the Committee on Corporations reported favorably upon several bills which were placed upon the Calendar, and will be noticed when they come up regularly.

By Mr. Ames: A bill to incorporate the town of LaGrange. Referred.

By Mr. Sinclair: A bill to authorize the Commissioners of New Hanover county to receive in the county Work House, convicts from other counties. Lies over.

By Mr. Ragland: A bill to repeal certain sections, chapter 49, of Revised Code, and to amend section 35, of Code of Civil Procedure. Referred.

On motion of Mr. Bowman, the rules were suspended, and the bill to provide for the collection of taxes by the State, and by the several counties of the State, on property, polls and incomes, was taken up.

The Clerk read the various amendments made by the Senate to the bill, when

Mr. French moved that the House do not concur.

Mr. Jarvis said he hoped the motion of non concurrence would not prevail. It was impossible to frame a bill of this kind to suit the views of every man, and while some of the amendments did not please him, yet he would vote for a concurrence in order to prevent another useless discussion, wasting a large amount of time without coming any nearer a satisfactory conclusion.

After some debate, Mr. French's motion was put to a vote and carried.

Mr. French moved that a Committee of Conference be raised, five on the part of the House and four on the part of the Senate.

On motion of the same, the amendments were ordered to be printed.

The Chair announced Messrs. French, Jarvis, Harris, of Wake, colored, Pearson, and Downing, as the House branch of said Committee.

Mr. Smith, of Alleghany, arose to a question of privilege. On the 21st. of November last, the gentleman from Randolph (Mr. Ashworth) introduced a resolution reducing the *per diem* of members. Mr. Smith, of Martin, moved to lay it on the table. Some designing persons had circulated the report, with the view to injure him, that he had made the motion to table the resolution, whereas Mr. Smith, of Martin, made it, &c.

Mr. Smith, of Martin, stated that he distinctly remembered making the motion alluded to.

On motion of J. W. Leary, colored, the rules were suspended, and the bill authorizing the Commissioners of Cumberland County to levy a special tax, was taken up and passed its second reading by a vote of yeas 65, nays 2.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The bill to lay off the Homestead and personal property exemptions, was again taken up.

The question recurring upon the vote by which Mr. Pou's amendment known as the 28th section,

A lengthy debate took place upon the motion to reconsider, and pending any definite action, Mr. Renfrow moved to adjourn.

The Chair ordered various messages from the Senate in regard to various bills which were appropriately disposed of.

Mr. Renfrow's motion to adjourn was put to a vote and lost.

The discussion upon the Homestead bill was resumed.

The previous question was called, the motion to reconsider prevailed by a vote of yeas 48, nays 36.

The House, then on motion adjourned until half past 7 o'clock.

Maine legalizes the study of anatomy; that is, she passes a law which will enable surgeons and physicians to obtain "stiffs," or subjects for dissection, without subjecting themselves to fines, imprisonment, &c.—Such a law should exist in every part of the civilized world. You might as well expect a child to learn to read without the use of books or blackboard, as to expect a surgeon to know how to read the human body without having had all its secrets exposed to him.

A gentleman in St. Louis, a day or two since, lost $3,000, for the recovery of which he offered a reward of $500. On the subsequent day he received through the post-office the sum he had lost, minus the reward. No name or note accompanied the inclosure.

For the Sentinel.

DAVIDSON COLLEGE, Feb. 26, 1869.

Mr. Editor:—Professor Phillips, formerly of Chapel Hill, reached this place on Wednesday, the 24th inst., A. M., to take the chair of Mathematics, in *lieu* of Prof. McIver, who has accepted a Professorship at Chapel Hill. According to notice, posted on the front door of the College building, the students assembled *en masse* on Wednesday night. The following resolutions were then proposed:

1. That we give a vote of thanks to Prof. McIver for the faithful discharge of his duties.

2. That we sincerely regret the departure of him, who has won for himself our highest respect and admiration as an instructor.

3. That we wish him God-speed in the glorious work of education, and success in the new field in which he is about to enter.

4. That these resolutions be published in the Raleigh *Sentinel* and Charlotte *Democrat*.

On account of these resolutions, the bitterest feelings were exhibited, and the greatest excitement caused among the students, perhaps that has ever occurred since the foundation of the College. The resolutions were opposed from the first, and it was urged, that if they were published, it would be a stain most foul upon all the students; that it would be nothing less than sympathising with the *opposite party* of the State, and that, as Prof. McIver was on the eve of going to such a place as Chapel Hill now is, we ought not to regret his absence in the least, nor wish him God-speed in the new field of his labors; but we ought to regret that a man of his talents and ability deserted the true and respectable white party of his native State. Virtue finally triumphed, and it was decided by a large majority that no such resolutions should be published.

We think those students were mistaken in their views, who were so enthusiastic upon the publication of the resolutions, that they wished it to be so, merely to show their gratitude to Prof. McIver; for he was a fine instructor and very popular Professor.

The proceedings ended without a riot, though it seemed imminent for some time. And if there is any Radicalism now among the students, it keeps low its drooping head, for the patriotic spirit at Davidson is too strong to countenance the least particle of mongrelism.

Professor Phillips was serenaded on the night of the same day he came, and his arrival spread universal joy throughout the borders of Davidson.

Owing to the pure and uncontaminated Fsculty, and the lofty and patriotic spirit of the students, we have a right to expect that Davidson will soon become the *former* Chapel Hill of North Carolina, and the metropolis of literature in the sunny south. In a few years she will send forth from her classic halls some of the noblest sons of North and South Carolina, who will overthrow the despotic leaders of the abominable fabric of rampant, black Republicanism, and plant upon its filthy and polluted ruins the flag of freedom, which shall unfurl its heavenly folds to the untainted breeze of the "*land we love.*"

Yours, &c.,
RIP VAN WINKLE.

Railway travel in Canada is very much deranged on account of snow. The track between Prescott and Ottawa is completely blocked, and the mails for Ottawa from Prescott and Montreal are carried in sleighs. There was another snow storm on Friday, and all business is suspended in Montreal.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUCTION!

Commencing on Friday, the 5th inst., at our Store, in Raleigh, at which we will sell to the highest bidder, FOR CASH, a large and varied stock of Merchandize consisting, in part, of READY-MADE CLOTHING, DRY GOODS, NOTIONS CROCKERY &c., &c.

W. H. JONES & CO.,
March 4-tf Auc. & Com. Merchants.

RED CLOVER SEED.

Another supply just received. Also, in store, Timothy, Herd Grass, Orchard and Blue Grass Seed, and Garden Seeds, warranted fresh and good.

JAS. M. TOWLES,
March 4-1w Com. Merchant & Auct'r.

Valuable Land for Sale in Davie County.

AS TRUSTEE OF LEVIN WARD I will offer at public sale, for cash, on the 1st day of April, 1869, on the premises, two miles north-east of Farmington,

364 ACRES OF LAND,

lying in a body, but easy of division, as it includes three separate Tracts, adjoining Dr. John F. Clingman and others with a considerable quantity of woodland, well adapted to Wheat and Tobacco. A desirable bargain may be had. Also, on the same day, I will sell the Horses, Mules and personal property.

WM. H. FERRY,
March 4-wtds Trustee of Levin Ward.

TUCKER HALL.

POSITIVELY FOUR NIGHTS ONLY.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 3d, 4th, 5th, and 6th.

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ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON, AT 3 O'CLOCK.

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Grand distribution of Presents at the close of each Performance, consisting of Greenbacks, Tons of Coal, Cords of Wood and other useful and fancy articles.

Admittance 25 cents. Reserved seats 50 cents. Doors open at 7 o'clock. To commence at 8.

March 3-5t

Commissioner's Sale of Valuable City Property.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Supreme Court, I will offer for sale, on the premises, on

Tuesday, 6th Day of April, 1869,

ONE LOT in the City of Raleigh, lying at the intersection of Fayetteville and Martin Streets, East of Fayetteville Street and North of Martin Street—being a quadrilateral plat of ground, fronting 80 feet on the latter Street, and 85 feet on the former; and known in the plan of the City of Raleigh as part of lot No. 114. Said lot is situated in the most active business part of the City; being near the Court House and City Market, and diagonally opposite the U. S. Post Office. Immediate possession given.

TERMS.—Cash as to 10 per cent. of the purchase money; and a credit of six months as to one half, and twelve months as to the other half of the residue on bond with approved security.

By virtue of said decree, I shall sell, at the same time and place, FOUR several LOTS, lying in the said City of Raleigh, together with the improvements thereon. These lots have each comfortable residences on them, together with the necessary out-houses and are situated near the intersection of Martin and Blount Streets, fronting on the North side of Martin and West side of Blount Streets, in the aggregate, 210 feet on the former, and 150 feet on the latter Street, one of them being a corner lot. These lots will be sold subject to the leases on each, which will expire on the 1st day of January, 1870.

TERMS:—Cash as to 10 per cent. of the purchase money; and a credit of nine months as to the residue on bonds with approved security.

WM. H. BAGLEY,
Feb. 25-td Commissioner.

JAMES ROBINSON'S.

CHAMPION.

CIRCUS

UNDER THE MANAGERIAL DIRECTION OF MR. JAS. M. NIXON, WILL EXHIBIT AT

Raleigh, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 9th and 10th.

TWO PERFORMANCES, AFTERNOON AND NIGHT.

☞ Doors open at half-past 1 and half past 6. Entertainments will commence punctually half an hour after opening.

The Management take special pleasure in announcing the positive appearance of the only great rider in the world

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Throwing his FORE and BACK SOMERSAULTS over high barriers and balloons, and carrying his infant son, CLARENCE, on his head.

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The youngest, smallest and prettiest kid who has ever appeared in the arena, and who, by the New York press, has been christened THE ATOM OF BEAUTY, will be introduced in MINIATURE MANAGE ACT, in which he will, on his Kent White Pony, give a series of exercises illustrative of the PARISIAN HAUT ECOLE!



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No useless outlay for SHOWY PLACARDS, to catch the eye and mislead the public. The simple, plain announcement,

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Tickets, admitting the holders to the Circus, before the opening of the ticket-wagon, can be obtained at the Bookstore of Williams & Lamboth, and Yarborough House.

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Salisbury,	Wednesday, March 3.	
Morganton	Thursday,	" 4.
Statesville,	Friday,	" 5.
Greensboro'	Saturday,	" 6.
Danville,	Monday,	" 8.

C. C. PELL,
March 1-4t General Business Agent.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT FOR 1868, OF THE CONNECTICUT MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Income from Premiums,	$7 181,304 11
Income from Interest,	1,584,905 48
Total Income for the year,	9,746,209 59
Losses paid,	1 221,535 00
Dividends paid,	926,994 00
Total Losses paid to date,	8,080 882 00
Total Dividends paid to date,	3,197,2 8 00

It will be seen from the above that the INCOME FROM INTEREST ALONE greatly exceeds the losses, and that the TOTAL INCOME FOR ONE YEAR is more than the TOTAL LOSSES PAID TO DATE.

The Assets of the Company are now over TWENTY-SEVEN MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, and with its INCREASE INCOME, offers greater inducements to those insuring than any other Company in the country. In addition to the part-credit system of premiums with dividends annually payable after four years, it issues Policies upon a reduced all-cash premium, with immediate ANNUAL DIVIDENDS. It can be plainly seen that the Connecticut Mutual Life has been doing a safe and increasing business for the last twenty-two years. It does not deem it necessary to make grand promises of what they INTEND doing, but will insure persons on any plan most desirable, and it makes all its policies non-forfeitable, for a stated amount, after two or three payments. Also remember, this Company has $154 Assets securely invested, for every $100 of its Liabilities.

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Dealers and the public are cordially invited to call and examine their stock and prices.

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Jan 1-tf

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[FORMERLY MOODY HOUSE.]

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HAS BEEN RE-OPENED for the accommodation of the traveling public by Mr. and Mrs. ROWE formerly of Company Shops Hotel. Terms moderate. Transient custom solicited. As "THE EXCHANGE" is under the direction of the skill and unsurpassed experience of one of the most accomplished caterers now to be found in the South, it is reasonable to ask for it a share of the public patronage. Call and test the declaration.

Jan. 7-1f

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Machines Rented with Operators for Families.

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200 NO. 0 PLOWS.
50 " A
20 Cotton "
100 doz Cotton Hoes—all sizes.
24 " Axes, Rowland's and other Shovels.
10 Trace Chains.
10 " Plow Harness.
10 " Mule and Horse Collars.

Riding Saddles Cart saddles Bridles, Harness Leather, Black Waxed Upper Leather, &c. &c., which I offer on good terms.

Feb. 25-1869 B. P. WILLIAMSON.

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THE SENTINEL.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

THURSDAY, MARCH 4, 1869.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—Valuable land for sale in Davie Co—W. H. Perry, Trustee. Grass Seeds—J. M. Towles.

WYMAN had a crowd last night—every body was highly pleased, and to secure seats, (for the rush will be great to night) start early. The show is worth the money, the grand feature, is the gift frolick, at the close of each evening's entertainment.

SALE, EXTRAORDINARY—to commence on the 5th, to morrow, by W. H. Jones & Co. The stock to be sold, is large, consisting of Ready made clothing, Dry Goods, Notions, &c. This is no ordinary sale, and all who want bargains, can get them by attending this sale and carrying the *cash* with them.

We understand that Mr. Thos. H. Briggs has been awarded the contract for the new market house, in this city, at a cost of $17,000. The affair, when completed, will be grand enough, good enough, and cost enough, to afford better beef than we have been buying for some time, if, indeed, we shall, after paying for the market house, have money left with which to purchase a shin. Gentlemen, of the Board of Commissioners, it strikes us you are wading in deep water.

HOW SUITS ARE TO BE BROUGHT.—As the Supreme Court has decided that the stay law is unconstitutional, it becomes important to ascertain how suits are to be brought upon what are called old debts.—It is manifest from the case of Smith *vs.* McIlwaine, just decided, that in every case the summons must be made returnable before the Clerk of the Court, instead of to the regular term of the Court. The reason is plain, and decisive. The pleadings, by way of demurrer or answer, must be filed with the Clerk, and the issues, whether of law or fact, must be made up before him. See Code of Civil Procedure, sec. 73 and 94.

WAYNE COUNTY MOVING.—A meeting was held in Goldsboro' last Saturday, preliminary to the formation of a County Agricultural County Society, John K Smith, Esq., presided. Dr. W. H. Moore and John Robinson, Esq., acted as Vice Presidents. The attendance was large, and a Committee, consisting of Col. J. B. Cobb, G. C. Garris, W. L. Wiggins, B. H. Goelet and Dr. W. H. Moore, was appointed to prepare By-Laws, for the Society and also to recommend a suitable name. When the meeting adjourned, to meet again at the Court House, on Saturday next, the 6th. inst., at 11 o'clock.

THE *Plaindealer*, Wilson, says: "We are pleased to learn that two of our enterprising citizens have determined upon the erection of three handsome brick store-houses on the burnt block, and that work will be commenced on the same about the first of April.

Our old friend, E. G. Clark, is about to commence the erection of a brick store and dwelling near the Depot, the materials for the same being already on the ground.

From these and other contemplated improvements in our town, we anticipate a busy time for our worthy mechanics during the coming Summer. We long to hear the sound of the trowel, the saw and the hammer; they speak of reviving prosperity."

THE WILSON *Plaindealer* says: "An emigrant passed through Nashville, last week, with a wife and seven children, in a covered wagon, on the way from Missouri to North Carolina. He left North Carolina for Missouri last fall, did not like the country when he got there, and turned back without unpacking."

A GRAND TOURNAMENT and Coronation Ball is to come off at Stantonsburg, on the 8th. instant.

On the 4th—to day—a Tournament and Ball, on an extensive scale, will come off at Weldon.

THE young men of the town of Wilson are about getting up a brass band; in which, we doubt not, they will succeed.

The Goldsboro' Daily *Messenger* has been enlarged. The *Messenger* is lively and spicy, and we trust will become a permanent institution.

FIRES.—On Saturday night the workshop of Mr. William Tucker, wheelright and blacksmith, near town, was burned by an incendiary, the tools having been previously stolen. Verily, there is little protection to life or property in the land now. Mr. Tucker, like most of us now, is a poor man, and feels this loss heavily.

Sunday night, about 11 o'clock, the cry of fire was raised, the bell of the Methodist Church was frantically rung. It was discovered to be at the African Church, where the services had been kept up to a late hour. The roof of the building caught from the stove pipe. It was, however, by the exertion of whites and blacks, soon put out.—*Henderson Index.*

SOME DEED.—We mentioned in our last issue that Deeds and Mortgages to the amount of $61 578.79 had been admitted to probate. Yesterday, the first of the month, one deed alone to the amount of $140,000 was admitted to probate. This required stamps to the amount only of $140.—*Wil. Journal.*

STAY LAW.

Declared Unconstitutional by the Supreme Court.

OPINION OF JUSTICE READE.

IN THE CASE OF JACOBS *vs.* UNDERWOOD.

It ought to be, and it is with us, the gravest duty to decide between the Constitution and a legislative enactment. It is settled that whenever such a question arises, every reasonable presumption is in favor of the validity of the enactment, and against the alleged repugnance. Nor is it ever to be presumed that the Legislature *intends* an infringement of the Constitution, even when the infringement is palpable; but it is to be set down to inadvertence, or mistake, or unconscious bias from pressing circumstances. The duty is not only grave but painful, when great public interests are involved, or the public mind is excited and anxious, by reason of the multiplicity of individual interests, which are at stake. But still the Judge has but one guide—*duty.* To maintain and enforce legislative enactments is important but to maintain and defend the Constitution is paramount.

The Constitution of the United States provides that "no State shall pass any law impairing the obligation of contracts."

The obligation of a contract is, *the duty of its performance*—a full and complete *compliance with its terms.*

Any statute which relieves a party from this duty, or enables him to evade it, is void.

An occasional, if not a frequent recurrence to fundamental principles is useful.—Let us, therefore, consider *why* it was thought necessary by those who formed our government, to make this provision in the United States Constitution. Every word of that instrument was well constituted; every principle was founded in patriotism and virtue. Those who had fled from error, and staked all for truth and justice—great and good men—framed a government in which virtue and intelligence were to be the powers; capital, privilege, monopoly, rank, had their day and were discarded. Upon a new soil and in a fresh clime, a government was inaugurated, founded upon the virtue and intelligence of those who were of it. Very few were rich; the masses were poor; and those who were expected to come under it by immigration were to be poorer still; and the whole body were dependent upon industry and integrity for prosperity. Under these circumstances, what was necessary for the business and prosperity of such a community? If it had been left to the control of capital, the few who had it would have had a monopoly, and industry and enterprise would have been paralyzed. To prevent this, integrity was put in competition with capital and, indeed, almost to supply its place. Every man's word was to be his bond, and every bond—every contract—was to be unavoidable. Not only was the capitalist assured that if he would venture his capital for the interest of the community he should have every guarantee for its safety, but the laborer was assured that industry should have its reward; that in the absence of capital to "pay down," industry and enterprise need not falter, because a *promise* of reward should never be evaded or impaired. It will be seen, therefore, that the provision was not so much for the protection of capital, as for the encouragement of industry and enterprise. It was a guaranty of justice to all, and is expressly against him who would obtain the profits of industry, and withhold the reward. It is a provision in favor of industry and honesty, and against idleness and treachery.

Probably the wisdom of our ancestors could not be more clearly vindicated than it is by the circumstances which now surround us. Let it be supposed that there are in the State 900,000 persons acting for themselves; one-third of them, the colored portion, are neither creditors nor debtors to any considerable amount, and are dependent upon their labor for subsistence; and that depends upon the inviolability of contracts. Another third, one half the whites, are small farmers and laborers, dependent upon the rewards of industry. The other third may represent the creditors and debtor classes. Of these there are, doubtless, meritorious cases on each side. On one side there may be the exacting shylock creditor, and on the other the exhausted, unfortunate debtor. On the one side there may be the widow or the orphan creditor, and on the other the showy, spendthrift debtor. It is impossible to make general rules to fit these individual cases; and it was wise to leave the contract inviolable, and the hardships to private adjustment.—Probably the attempted interference in favor of one class against the other, has held out false, not to say unjust hopes, and has prevented the private adjustments which might have been made. As it is, we find that eight years of stay laws have left a considerable indebtedness with interest and cost accumulated, and creditors and sureties impoverished, without any corresponding benefit to the principal debtors; some of whom cannot pay and have sought relief from the Bankrupt law; and some have delayed, and have lost the opportunity for that relief, by reason of the false hopes held out by the stay law; and some of whom will not pay, although their means are abundant, and are used in speculation and extravagance.

Again: it was very well known to those who framed our Constitution, that with the most prudent and honest purposes, persons would sometimes become involved beyond their ability to pay, and that it would be crippling industry and enterprise to afford them no escape from misfortune; and, therefore, the same Constitution which makes contracts inviolable by stay laws, provides for a general bankrupt law, by means of which a debtor may be absolved from his debts and take a new start.

Again: the laws, while they provide for the enforcement of contracts, are not used to the extent of oppressing the debtor, for there have always been exemptions of what were deemed *necessaries.* In our earlier days—times of great simplicity and small estates—we had the exemptions of wearing apparel, wheel and cards, loom, bed and furniture, &c.; as our fortunes increased, the exemptions increased, and provisions, furniture, &c., were added; and subsequently, as times and habits changed, other things were added. All of which met the approval of the public, and was not injurious to creditors, while the debtors were not reduced to want, nor left to broken spirits.

Now, there is a commendable spirit which finds expression in our new Constitution, and in popular approbation, to allow home steads; for truly we say, why allow a bed without a shelter to keep off the rain!

But exemptions and homesteads on the one hand, and stay laws on the other, are very different things. The former allows a man to be comfortable and honest, and encourages industry, while the latter enables him to be profligate and dishonest; the former is for all, the latter for a favored few.

There has been no case before us requiring the decision of the question, whether the provision for a homestead in our State Constitution is in violation of the Constitution of the United States. And although the advice of the Supreme Court was requested, by resolution of the General Assembly, yet our Court is so constituted, that we have not felt at liberty to deliver any authoritative opinion upon the subject. But the fact may be stated, that our new Constitution was approved by Congress, with that provision in it; and it is not to be supposed that it would have been done, if it had been thought to be in violation of the Constitution of the United States. And it is settled, that every presumption is to be made in its favor; as having the approbation of the Convention of the State, and of the Congress of the United States. And it may be repeated that exemptions have always existed, not to any considerable amount, to be sure, but still, in increasing amounts, keeping pace with the change in manners and customs, and the condition of the country. If an exemption of the value of $100 was *necessary* in our infancy, as a people, with the simplest habits and *tell* under the maxim, *de minimis non curat lex,* it may be that the exemption of a homestead of $1,000 value will be deemed less considerable *now* than $100 then. And it has the sanction, not only of Congress, and of the State Convention, but of the liberal spirit of the times as well. And it may well be supposed to be the earnest wish of the Government, in all its departments, and of every enlightened and benevolent citizen, to see every man with a HOME—a home for his wife and children, a home to adorn and to love—*his* home, his *castle*—

"From turret to foundation stone."

Although we are not permitted to declare our *decision* in advance of a case between parties which may come before us, yet a measure, which has the sanction of the State Constitution, of Congress, the guardian of the United States Constitution, and of an enlightened public sentiment, and which is founded on justice, and which gives to every man a home from which he cannot be driven, may well be supposed to find favor with the Court, no member of which has intimated an unfavorable opinion. If such should be the case, then every man will be saved from oppression. And, in the absence of any stay law to prevent, every man will be obliged to do justice to the satisfaction of his debts so much property as is not exempted as his homestead.

We have been thus full in what may be regarded as an unusual discourse of the subject by the Court, because we are aware that the effect of our decision will be felt very far beyond the case before us; because of the anxious State of the public mind; and because, in declaring invalid a measure which was intended to afford relief, but which was not only invalid but mischievous, and gives a stone instead of bread, we were anxious to relieve the public mind by directing attention to a measure—the homestead—which may enure to the benefit of all.

We come now to the question: Does the ordinance, which we are considering, impair the obligation of contracts?

We do not propose to *labor* the subject. It is plain and incontrovertible. And the learning upon it is abundant and common. Barnes vs. Barnes.

We are obliged to concede that it was not the *purpose* of the Convention to impair the obligations of contracts, both because that is not to be presumed and because a different purpose is expressly declared. And we are to take the declared purpose the real one. The purpose declared is, "to change the jurisdiction of the Courts," &c. To do that is quite within the province of legislation. But while pursuing that legitimate object, it turns out that the *effect* was to impair the obligation of contracts—a consequence which, as we are to presume, was not foreseen, and is to be set down to inadvertence, or the unconscious bias of pressing circumstances.—And as soon as it is discovered that the *effect* is to violate the Constitution, the Legislature and every citizen will sustain the Court in its purpose to maintain the Constitution.

The second section of the ordinance of the Convention of 1865-'66 entitled "An ordinance to change the jurisdiction of the Courts," &c., as amended by the Convention of 1868, to be found appended to the Code, provides that all contracts, without regard to the terms of payment made by the parties, shall be payable in four annual installments. Now if the terms of the contract be that it is all payable at one and the same time, and the ordinance changes the payment to four different and distant times, it is a material alteration and impairs its obligation.

Section sixteen provides that the second section shall not apply to debts contracted since 1st of May, 1865; so that the second section is liable to the two fold objection of altering the terms of the contract, and of discriminating between classes. The second section is therefore void, as impairing the obligation of contracts, in that (1) it alters the terms in the particular of the *time* of payment; and (2) in the particular, that it alters the remedy of enforcing the contract—not immaterial and reasonable alterations, but material and unreasonable ones.

There are several cases before us, of which this opinion is decisive. The particular point prescribed in this case is, whether a bond given since 1st of May, 1865, in renewal of a debt before that time, could be sued on in the County Court (this suit having originated in the County Court.) The defendant pleaded to the jurisdiction, and the plaintiff demurred, and his Honor overruled the demurrer and sustained the plea. In this there was error.—According to this agreement of parties, judgment will be entered here for the plaintiff for his debt and interest.

READE, J.

EVIDENTLY A ROBBERY.—On Saturday last, Master Willie Granger, while out gunning, found a large leather trunk in a ditch near the garrison, where it had been left by the thief or thieves, after rifling it of its contents. The trunk is iron bound with a large brass clasp lock. It is at present at Granger's Hotel, where any one who was so unfortunate as to loose such an article may see it. We have heard of no robbery in this section very recently and the affair is a mystery.—*Goldsboro' Messenger.*

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CHARLES' LONDON CORDIAL GIN is offered to the public as a perfectly reliable specific in all cases of DISEASED BLADDER and KIDNEYS. It acts directly on these organs, with a directness and speediness which render it invaluable to persons suffering from GRAVEL DIABETES INFLAMED BLADDER, scanty and highly colored urine, and in all cases where, from whatever cause, a healthful diuretic is required.

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As a tonic and beverage this Gin is unequaled, as it possesses none of the headache properties to be found in those poisons, now so frequently sold under the names of Gin, Brandy, Whiskey, &c.

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Feb. 27-1aw6m

TELEGRAPHIC.

Our Afternoon Dispatches.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, March 3, M.

Speaker Colfax delivered his valedictory to-day.

Pomeroy, of New York, has been elected Speaker of the House for the balance of the session.

The House is now considering the report of the Committee on accounts.

The crowd in Washington is increasing.

MARKETS

NEW YORK, March 3, M.

Cotton firmer, 29¼.

Spirits Turpentine 54½—quiet. Rosin $2@$2,05.

N. C. Bonds 61; new 59½.

Wheat dull and declining.

Our Midnight Dispatches.

FROM WASHINGTON—PRESIDENT JOHNSON ISSUES AN ADDRESS TO THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES—GRANT'S CABINET NOMINATIONS—THE PRESIDENT ISSUES A LARGE NUMBER OF PARDONS—PASSAGE OF THE MILITARY BILL—GEN. GRANT PRESENTED WITH A SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLAR CHECK—CLOSING PARAGRAPH OF PRESIDENT JOHNSON'S ADDRESS.

WASHINGTON, March 3, P. M.

President Johnson publishes a two column address to the people of the United States in defence of his course as President. He invokes the consideration of the people in behalf of his successor.

President Johnson would have achieved much more present popularity had he consented to co-operate with parties who desired to carry on the government outside of the Constitution. He does not regret any of his actions, all having in view the restraint of Congress within the limits of the Constitution. It is a very able paper.

Gen Grant's Cabinet nominations will go to the Senate on Friday noon.

The Treasury employees took leave of McCulloch this afternoon.

Crowds of visitors compelled President Johnson to hold a regular levee to-day.

The President issued a large number of pardons to-day.

A letter signed by many citizens of Lynchburg tendering the hospitalities of that city was presented to the President. He replied that not having determined his route homeward, nor when he should leave, could not answer definitely but would in a few days.

Sumner's bill, erasing the word "white" from the District Charter and ordinances, passed the Senate.

The Military bill passed last night, and has gone to the President. It provides that so much of the Act entitled "An Act making appropriations for the support of the Army for the year ending June 30th, 1868, and for other purposes," approved March 2d, 1867, as prohibits the organization, arming or calling into service of the militia forces in the States lately in rebellion, be and the same is hereby repealed.

The West Virginia Legislature have ratified the fourteenth amendment.

A Committee, headed by A. T. Stewart, of New York, visited the office jointly occupied by Grant and Sherman, and, after handing Gen. Grant a check for $65,000, they handed Sherman a deed for Grant's house and furniture, and a check for the balance of one hundred thousand subscription.

The following is the closing paragraph of President Johnson's address:

"Calmly reviewing my administration of the Government, I feel that, with a sense of accountability to God, having conscientiously endeavored to discharge my whole duty, I have nothing to regret. Events have proved the correctness of the policy set forth in my first and subsequent messages. The woes which have followed the rejection of forbearance, magnanimity and Constitutional rule, are known and deplored by the nation. It is a matter of pride and gratification, in retiring from the most exalted position in the gift of a free people, to feel and know that in a long, arduous and eventful public life, my action has never been influenced by a desire for gain, and that I can, in all sincerity, enquire, whom have I defrauded? whom have I oppressed, or of whose hand have I received any bribe to blind my eyes therewith? No responsibility for wars that have been waged or blood that has been shed rests upon me. My thoughts have been those of peace, and my effort has been to allay contention among my countrymen. Forgetting the past let us return to the first principles of the government, and unfurling the banner of our country inscribe upon it in ineffaceable characters: 'The Constitution and the Union one and inseparable.'"

CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, March 3, P. M.

SENATE.—The Committee on Foreign Relations, reported in favor of non-concurrence on the bill tendering sympathy to the people of Spain, and directing the President that when a Republican government was assured in Cuba to recognize it.

The Senate voted down the amendment paying Massachusetts interest on advances on the war of 1812

The army appropriation bill passed. It now goes to the House for concurrence.

Recess.

HOUSE.—After the valedictory and salutatory, the printing of certain documents was ordered, when the Committee on Accounts had a conflict with the House over the payment of the Louisiana contestants. The Committee on Accounts moved to rescind the resolution allowing them twenty-five hundred dollars, and to allow them fifteen hundred dollars.

The resolution was tabled by a large majority.

The Appropriation bill was considered to recess.

MARKETS.

NEW YORK, March 3, P. M.

Cotton opened steadier and closed quiet. Sales of 1,800 bales at 29@29¼.

Spirits Turpentine 54@54½ Rosin unchanged.

Gold closed weak at 1,31¼.

ACCIDENT.—A negro named Toney Tate residing in the vicinity of Kidder's mill, accidently shot himself yesterday afternoon while hunting. He was leaning upon the gun with his left hand over the muzzle, when it was accidently discharged. The load, which was of small shot, shattered the lower bone to the forefinger.—*Wil. Journal.*

Public Sale of Valuable Mills and other Real Estate.

ON MONDAY OF MARCH COURT, at the Court House in Taylorsville, Alexander Co. N. C., it being the 15th day of March next, I will sell at public sale the following property, belonging to the Estate of J. C. Bell, deceased, to-wit:

Two tracts of Land in said County. One tract of finely timbered land 4½ miles West of Taylorsville, containing about 160 acres.

One other, known as the "Bell Mill Tract," 2½ miles West of Taylorsville, on Lower Little River, containing 100 acres, well improved, with two good dwellings and other good out-houses attached; a good Wheat Mill, Corn Mill, Saw Mill, Wool-Carding Machine, all in good running order, advantageously situated for safety from freshets, with a water-power sufficient to add to the machinery at pleasure, accessible from both sides of the river by a good graded public Road and situated immediately on the contemplated route of the Atlantic, Tennessee & Ohio Railroad, (bound to be built under the very liberal charter recently granted by the General Assembly,) the above property offers unusual inducements to persons seeking a good investment for their money.

Persons can examine the property by calling on Fields Ingram, the Miller in charge, or D. H. Bell, living on the premises.

TERMS.—Nine months credit, note and approved security, with interest from date

Feb. 20-3tw E. M. STEVENSON, Com'r.

Special Notices.

The Healing Pool.

AN ESSAY FOR YOUNG MEN ON THE CRIME OF SOLITUDE, and the Diseases and Abuses which create impediments to MARRIAGE, with sure means of Relief. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address, Dr. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Howard Association, Philadelphia, Pa. jan 21-tf

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing, in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, No. 42 Cedar St., N. Y.

Feb. 4-w3m

To Consumptives.

The Advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks, by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, etc. The object of the advertiser in sending the prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable; and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, will please address Rev EDWARD A. WILSON, Williamsburg, Kings Co., N. Y.

Feb. 4-w3m

STATE NATIONAL BANK, RALEIGH, N. C.

JNO. G. WILLIAMS, *President.*
WM. E. ANDERSON, *Cashier.*
SAMUEL C. WHITE, *Teller.*

PRICES OF BANK NOTES:

Bank of N. C., (G. B.)	40
" Cape Fear	33
" Charlotte	33
" Lexington, (old)	10
" do Graham	24
" Roxborough	60
" Wadesborough	30
" Thomasville	29
" Wilmington	31
" Commerce	16
" Washington	3
" Fayetteville	11
" Clarendon	4
" Yanceyville	3
Miners' and Planter's Bank	40
Farmers' Bank, Greensborough, new 20, old	30
Commercial Bank, Wilmington	30
Merchant's Bank, Newbern	60
Greensborough Mutual	6
Virginia Bank Notes, about	25
South Carolina "	22
Georgia "	25
Gold	130
Silver	127
Old Coupons	55
North Carolina Railroad Coupons	93
Old Sixes	63
Exchange on New York	
R. & G. Railroad Stock	49
N C. Rail Road	20
Ral. Gas Light	110
Ral. National Bank	100
State National Bank	100

Greensboro' Money Market.

BUYING RATES OF BANK NOTES, &c., BY WILSON & SHOBER, BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS, SOUTH ELM STREET, GREENSBORO, N. C.

Bank of N. C.	48
" Cape Fear	35
" Charlotte	35
" Wadesboro	30
" Wilmington	37
" Roxboro	62
" Thomasville	25
" Graham	24
" Lexington (old)	10
" " (new)	30
" Commerce	18
" Clarendon	4
" Fayetteville	12
" Washington	5
" Yanceyville	4
Merchants' Bank of Newbern	63
Farmers' Bank of Greensboro', (old)	35
" " (new)	20
Miners' and Planters' Bank	41
Commercial Bank of Wilmington	37
Greensboro Mutual Ins. Co., (old)	5
Virginia Bank Notes average about	40
South Carolina "	25
Georgia "	25
N. C. Railroad Stock	20
N C R R. Dividend Scrip	75

We buy and sell at liberal prices, Gold and Silver, North Carolina Bonds, United States Bonds and all other marketable stocks.

Orders for Bank notes by debtors and Stockholders of Banks will receive prompt attention.

Returns for express packages of Bank notes &c., will be made on the day received, by check on New York or Baltimore, or in currency, as desired.

Life and Fire Insurance Policies issued in good Companies, at best rates.

Dec 1-3m

Raleigh National Bank of N. C.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
CHARLES DEWEY, President.
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W. J. HAWKINS, A. S. MERRIMON,
R. S. TUCKER, R. W. PULLIAM,
P. A. WILEY, Cashier,
J. C. BLAKE, Teller.

Deals in Exchange Sight Drafts, Gold and Silver Coin, Government and other Securities.

Uncurrent Bank Notes bought and sold.

Quotations for North Carolina Bank Notes, from Raleigh National Bank of N. C., Jan. 16, 1869.

Bank of Cape Fear	33
" Charlotte	33
" Clarendon	3
" Commerce	16
" Fayetteville	10
" Lexington, (old)	8
" " (new)	8
" Lexington, payable at Graham	23
" North Carolina	40
" Roxboro'	55
" Thomasville	20
" Wadesboro'	25
" Washington	3
" Yanceyville	3
" Wilmington	38
Commercial Bank, Wilmington	32
Farmer's Bank of North Carolina, (old)	29
" " " (new)	25
Greensboro' Mutual Insurance Co.	4
Merchant's Bank, Newbern	60
Miner's & Planter's Bank	40

Jan. 18-tf

THOS. BRANCH & SONS, *Petersburg, Va.* | THOS. BRANCH & CO., *Richmond, Va.*

BRANCH SONS & CO., AND BRANCH, SCOTT & CO., AUGUSTA, GA., Bankers and Commission Merchants.

Advances made on consignments of Country Produce, and on shipments of Cotton to New York or Liverpool, Loans negotiated; Railroad, State and Corporation Bonds and Stocks bought and sold; first-class negotiable paper always on hand, for sale. Gold, Silver and Bank Notes bought and sold.

We give below our present buying rates for Bank Notes of North Carolina.

Bank of North Carolina	48
" Cape Fear	35
" Charlotte	30
" Clarendon	4
" Commerce	18
" Fayetteville	12½
" Lexington	10
" " Graham	24
" Roxboro'	60
" Thomasville	25
" Wadesboro'	32½
" Washington	[illegible]
" Wilmington	37½
" Yanceyville	[illegible]
Commercial Bank of Wilmington	37½
Farmers Bank of Greensboro'	35
Greensboro' Mutual Insurance Co.	7
Merchants Bank	62
Miners and Planters	42

FOR SALE.

Any of the above Bank Notes in sums to suit. 5000 Town of Wilmington, N. C. Bonds, 2000 N. C. R. R. 8 per cent Bonds.

WANTED.

N. C. R. R. Stock.

We are daily expecting a cargo of Peruvian Guano, which we will sell in lots of five tons or over, delivered on the cars in Petersburg or delivered in Raleigh. Send your orders at once.

Jan. 1, 1869-tf

LIFE INSURANCE.

NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Chartered by Special Act of Congress, Approved July 25th, 1868.

CASH CAPITAL,

$1,000,000,

PAID IN FULL.

This Company, National in its character, offers, by reason of its large capital, low rates of Premium, and New Tables, the most desirable means of insuring life yet presented to the public.

The rates of premium being largely reduced, are made as favorable to the insurers as those of the best Mutual Companies, and avoid all the complications and uncertainties of Notes, Dividends and the misunderstandings which the latter are so apt to cause the Policy-holder.

Several new and attractive tables are now presented, which need only to be understood to prove acceptable to the public, such as the INCOME-PRODUCING POLICY and RETURN PREMIUM POLICY. In the former, the policy-holder not only secures a life insurance, payable at death, but will receive, if living, after a period of a few years, an ANNUAL INCOME equal to ten per cent. (10 per cent.) of the par of his policy. In the latter the Company agrees to return to the assured the total amount of money he has paid in in addition to the amount of his policy.

The organization of this Company on the LOW RATE, CASH PLAN, with new features and unequaled security, has evoked the most remarkable opposition from other and rival Companies. By means, fair and unfair, they have sought to injure the new system, and have attacked it with a degree of virulence unknown in the history of Life Insurance.

Not satisfied with the immense sums of money paid Insurance and other journals, to try and check the rapid progress of the National, an unsuccessful motion was made in Congress to repeal its charter, all of which but accelerated its speed for since then the largest policies issued has been to members of Congress, whose attention has been thus attracted to its unsurpassed advantages. In the face of this opposition, the work of the Company has gone steadily forward, and it is with no little satisfaction that the GENERAL AGENTS are able to state that the business to date is far in advance of anything hitherto accomplished.

In Six Months 3,000 Policies have Been Issued.

INSURING, IN ROUND NUMBERS,

$10,000,000.

The attention of persons contemplating insuring their lives, or increasing the amount of insurance they already have, is called to the special advantages offered by the National Life Insurance Co.

Circulars, Pamphlets and full particulars given on application to the Branch Office of the Company, or to

P. F. PESCUD, Raleigh,
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H. A. LONDON, *Jr.*, Pittsboro', N. C.
W. H. HOLDERNESS, Salisbury.

Reliable and wide awake-Agents who will give the agency their energetic attention, are wanted, to whom the most liberal commissions will be paid. Apply at once to

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JAY COOKE & CO., GENERAL AGENTS FOR THE SOUTHERN STATES. Fifteenth Street, opposite Treasury, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Feb 11-tf

THE FRANKLIN BRICK MACHINE TRIUMPHANT OVER ALL OTHERS. BUILDERS, MASONS AND BRICKMAKERS.

Come and see it make the most and best Brick at the least expense of any machine ever made. Is worked by two horses or by steam power. Its equal as a practical brick maker is not known.—I defy competition. J. H. RENICK, No. 71 Broadway, Room No. 28, New York. feb 19-6td&tw

FLOUR! FLOUR! FLOUR!

Patapsco Family, Severn Mills Super and Richmond Super, at

Feb 6-tf A. D. TAYLOR'S

1,000 LBS. TONQUO BEANS, for sale at cost of freight and charges added to New York prices, by

Feb. 15-tf P. F. PESCUD & SON.

NORTH CAROLINA LAND COMPANY.

INCORPORATED BY SPECIAL ACT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, 1869.

FOR THE LOCATION OF Northern and European Settlers,

FOR THE SALE OF IMPROVED FARMS, TIMBER AND MINERAL LANDS, HOUSES, MINES, WATER POWER, &c. &c., ALSO OF COTTON, TOBACCO, NAVAL STORES, &c., ON CONSIGNMENT, ADVANCES MADE ON SAME.

AGENTS FOR IMPROVED AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, FERTILIZERS, MACHINERY, &c.

ALSO, NEGOTIATE LOANS, ON MORTGAGE OR OTHER SECURITIES.

Those having Lands or Farms for sale, will find it to their interest to communicate with this Company. Office Raleigh, N. C.

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AGENTS AND DIRECTORS IN NEW YORK AND BOSTON:
A. J. Bleecker, Son & Co.

Feb 25-d&w3m

FOR SALE.

Complete set of N. C. Reports, from 1st Devereux's Law and 1st do. Equity, to 7th Jones, inclusive of Law and Equity.

W. H. JONES & CO.,
Feb. 25-tf Auc. & Com. Merchants.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW SPRING GOODS!!

FIRST OF THE SEASON!

Bought at the Present Depressed State of the Market.

10,000 YDS. OF BEAUTIFUL NEW style Spring Calicoes. Merrimacks, Sprague, Pacific brands, decidedly the handsomest patterns ever made in Prints.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO., Iron Front Building, Fayetteville, St. Raleigh, N. C.

SPRING CHALLIES AND DELAINES,—something light, cool and pleasant to wear. Prices from 25 to 35 cents per yard. Just received.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO

LARGE STOCK OF BLEACHED DOMESTICS.
NEW YORK MILLS,
WAMSUTTA,
LOUSDALE,
ANDROCOGGIN,
BLACKSTONE RIVER,
LANCASHIRE,
AMERICAN,
BOOT COTTON MILLS,
SLATERSVILLE,
&C., &C., &C.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

SHEETINGS.

Linen and Cotton Sheetings, 6-4, 8-4, 10-4, 11-4 and 12-4, from 50c. up.

W. H & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

UNBLEACHED DOMESTICS. LARGE STOCK.

3-4, 7-8, and 4-4 Brown Homespun.

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PLAID HOMESPUN, Alamance Plaids, Union Plaids, Lancaster Ginghams &c. &c

March 1-tf W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

A Card.

SELMA, JOHNSTON Co, N. C., February 23 1869

My attention is called to the advertisement of E. G. Hill, in yesterday's *Standard,* offering to sell my interest in certain property to satisfy an Execution in his hands, and inviting capitalists to the sale.

This contemptible fellow, Hill, who kept out of the Confederate service upon the ground that he was not a citizen of the United States, strange to say, was permitted by the Commissioners of the County to qualify as Sheriff upon giving an insufficient bond in the sum of five thousand dollars. This Execution, which his mean, low nature prompts him to blow about and advertise, is for the sum of $30 and costs; it was sent to him from Wayne County, where judgment had gone against me by default, in my absence, and instead of presenting it to me for collection, which any other man but himself would have done he has never said a word to me about it, but used the high office of Sheriff, acting under a five thousand dollar bond, to gratify the spite and hatred which he has for all white men, and especially "gentlemen" for whenever he has any papers against such, he shows them to every one and the public in which he comes in contact.

This is only put in for the benefit of those who do not know the man. Capitalists, who wish to invest, can do so privately, as I have a large number of Lots and Land unencumbered in any way which I—not Hill—will sell to them.

J. W. SHARP, Selma, N. C.

March 1-3t

ROSADALIS Purifies the Blood.

For Sale by Druggists Everywhere.

Sept. 3-d&w&wly.

Classical and Mathematical School.

THE NEXT SESSION OF J. H. HORNER'S Classical and Mathematical School, Oxford, N. C., will begin the first Monday in January.

Jan. 15-3awtf

Coffee! Coffee!

50 SACKS RIO COFFEE For sale by

Feb. 13-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

Flour, Flour.

300 BBLS. FLOUR of all grades, in sacks and Barrels, for sale by

Feb. 13-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

HOLLOW and WILLOW WARE, sold by W. C. STRONACH & CO.

SAUCES, SALAD, DRESSING CATSUP AND Canned Goods, for sale by W. C. STRONACH & CO.

MOSS and DURHAM SMOKING and BEST brands Chewing Tobacco, sold by W. C. STRONACH & CO.

SWEET POTATOES, TURNIPS, CABBAGE and other Vegetables, always on hand. W. C. STRONACH & CO.

GOODS DELIVERED ANYWHERE IN THE City without extra charge, by W. C. STRONACH & CO., Wholesale & Retail Grocers, 52 Fayetteville Street, Raleigh, N. C.

Feb. 26 tf

10 BBLS. IRISH (Seed) POTATOES. Just arrived. W. C. STRONACH & CO.

BEEF HAMS AND TONGUES, For sale by W. C. STRONACH & CO.

N. C. AND SUGAR-CURED HAMS, For sale by W. C. STRONACH & CO.

BUCKWHEAT,—N. C. and Northern hulled, in 25 lb. bags, for sale by W. C. STRONACH & CO.

PATAPSCO and BALDWIN FLOUR,—warranted. For sale by W. C. STRONACH & CO.

SUBSTANTIALS.

20 BBLS. FAMILY MESS PORK,
20 " Prime "
5000 lbs bulk Shoulders.
5000 " " Rib and Clear Rib Sides.
3000 " Choice Sugar-cured Hams.
1000 " Family Leaf Lard.
50 bbls. Prime Super Flour.
150 sacks N. C. & Tennessee Flour, all grades.
50 " Salt.
2000 lbs. E. J. and Refined Sugars.
16 0 " Choice Coffees.
100 " Select Green and Black Teas.
In Store and arriving.

Raleigh, Feb. 22-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON.

FOR SALE.

Five crates of cheap Crockery. Samples now on exhibition at our store.

W. H. JONES & CO.,
Feb. 9-tf Auction and Com. Merchants.

AN IMMENSE STOCK OF GARDEN & GRASS Seed, from R. Buist, Jr.

Feb. 15-tf P. F. PESCUD & SON.

FOR SALE.

A first rate PORTABLE STEAM SAW MILL and ENGINE, of 15 horse power, all iron, on wheels, tires 6 inches wide.

The carriage can be moved by two good horses.

W. H. JONES & CO
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ANOTHER CONSIGNMENT OF MISH, CAtawba, Scuppernong and Clinton Grape Vines.

Feb. 9-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

The Daily Sentinel.

The N. C. Land Company

HAVE applications from the North for several improved Farms and Tracts of Timber Land on line of N. R. R. Also, Mineral Lands.
Address, N. C. L. COMPANY,
Feb. 5-tf Raleigh, N. C.

STOCK PEAS.
48 bags Stock Peas.
19 " Black Eye Peas, and
A Superior lot of White Meal.
Feb. 11-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

SHIRTINGS.
A few Bales Rocky Mount Shirtings—4, Extra Heavy. By the Bale or Bolt.
Nov. 14-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

BONE ASH.

THE ATTENTION OF FARMERS, FRUIT and Vegetable Gardeners, Vine Growers and all others engaged in planting is called to this SUPERIOR FERTILIZER, 300 tons of PURE SOUTH AMERICAN BONE ASH, the first and only direct importation ever received at this port.

This Ash is produced from the vast herds of horses and horned cattle which are slain for their hides, the remaining portion of their bodies being reduced to pure ANIMAL CHARCOAL and ASHES, producing the RICHEST MANURE ever used. I warrant this to be pure as made, a genuine Bone Ash.

Wheat, Oats, Corn, Cotton, Tobacco, Vegetables, Fruit Trees and Vines, and all cultivated Crops, Orchards and Vineyards, require this powerful and sustaining Fertilizer.

Price, $25 per ton of 2,000 lbs., in bags.
H. V. NIEMEYER,
Portsmouth, Va.

Keeps constantly on hand, Peruvian Guano, Phosphates, Raw Bone, Fresh Ground Plaster, Lime and all Fertilizers.
Feb. 10-3m

A Bushel of Apples Sells for more than a Bushel of Corn!

WE ARE PREPARED TO SUPPLY
APPLE TREES,
in large or small quantity, upon short notice.
W. H. JONES & CO.,
Auction & Commission Merchants.
Raleigh, Jan 14-tf

COTTON AND CORN PLANTERS.
In Store, Johnson's Improved Patent Georgia Cotton Planter; the simplest and cheapest one in use.
Sinclair's Maryland Corn Planter.
Smith's Virginia do.
JAMES M. TOWLES,
Feb 25-tf Ag't for Manufacturers.

PURE GROUND BONES FOR SALE.
A first-rate Fertilizer.
Feb. 23-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

JUST RECEIVED.
A well-selected stock of GROCERIES of every kind, which will be sold as cheap as they can be bought in this market.
A. D. TAYLOR,
Feb. 3-tf No 10 Hargett St.

CLOVER SEED.
A large lot of PRIME NEW just received and for sale by JORDAN & CARR,
Feb 19-tf Druggists, Petersburg Va.

HERDS GRASS SEED.
For sale by
Petersburg, Feb 19-tf JORDAN & CARR.

TIMOTHY SEED.
Just received by
Petersburg, Feb 19-tf JORDAN & CARR.

ORCHARD GRASS SEED.
For sale by
Petersburg, Feb 19-tf JORDAN & CARR.

KENTUCKY BLUE AND MIXED LAWN Grass seed, just received and for sale by
Petersburg, Feb 19-tf JORDAN & CARR.

FLOWER SEEDS.
Just received by
Petersburg, Feb 19-tf JORDAN & CARR.

GARDEN SEEDS.
All kinds, for sale by
Petersburg, Feb 19-tf JORDAN & CARR.

AXLE GREASE, IN KEGS AND BOXES,
For sale by
JORDAN & CARR,
Wholesale and Retail Druggists,
Sycamore, corner Washington street,
Feb. 19-tf Petersburg, Va.

FRESH GARDEN SEEDS.
We have just received a large stock of BUIST'S New Crop of Genuine Garden seeds, embracing nearly every kind of

Artichoke	Musk Melon
Asparagus	Water Melon
Beans	Mustard
Beet	Nasturtium
Brocoli	Okra
Brussels Sprouts	Onion
Cabbage	Parsley
Carrot	Parsnip
Cauliflower	Peas
Celery	Pepper
Collards	Pumpkin
Corn	Radish
Cress	Rape
Corn Salad	Rhubarb
Egg Plant	Salsify
Endive	Spinach
Kale	Squash
Leek	Tomato
Lettuce	Turnip

Herb.
ALSO, Clover, Timothy, Orchard, Herds, Kentucky Blue and Mixed Lawn Grass Seeds which we warrant fresh, and will sell very low for cash. JORDAN & CARR,
Wholesale and Retail Druggists,
Jan. 29-tf Petersburg, Va.

Raleigh National Bank of North Carolina.

THE DIRECTORS have resolved to increase the Capital Stock of this Bank to FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS. Persons wishing to subscribe to the same will please communicate with C. DEWEY,
Feb 27-tf President.

☞ Standard and Episcopal Methodist, Raleigh; Journal, Wilmington; Journal of Commerce and Times, Newbern; Democrat, Charlotte; Presbyterian and Eagle, Fayetteville; Old North State, Salisbury; News and Pioneer, Asheville; and Index, Henderson, (Granville Co.,) Intelligencer, Washington N. C.; and Southerner Tarboro', copy once a week for 4m and send bills to Bank.

I HAVE JUST RECEIVED, AND HAVE FOR sale, Abbot's *Forms of Practice and Pleading*. Whitaker's " " "
Greenleaf on Evidence, and other standard Law Books, for sale at publisher's prices.
Any Law Book furnished on order, at short notice and lowest prices, by J. A. JONES,
Feb. 5-tf Raleigh, N. C.

Notice.

OFFICE NORTH CAROLINA LAND CO., RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 27, 1869.
This Company makes no charge for advertising Lands, Farms, Houses, Mines, &c., placed with them for sale. They only charge 5 per cent. on the amount obtained, and this not until the sale is perfected.
GEORGE LITTLE, President.
S. W. BEST, Sec. & Treas.
Feb. 27-tf

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE,
Fine Mountain Apples, Seed Oats, Onions and Onion Setts.
Irish Potatoes and White Corn Meal.
Feb. 24-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

PUMPS.

EVERYBODY who has use for a PUMP should buy MORRELL'S FIRE ENGINE, DEEP WELL AND FORCE PUMP.
Send for a Circular. POOLE & HUNT,
Jan 12-6m. Baltimore, Md.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ENTERPRISE
FIRE & MARINE
INSURANCE CO.,
OF
CINCINNATI, OHIO.

CAPITAL
ONE MILLION DOLLARS,
SECURITY
BY LAW OF THE STATE OF OHIO,
TWO MILLION DOLLARS.
A. W. LAWRENCE, Agent.
Raleigh, Feb. 12-3m

NEW YORK AND NORTH CAROLINA STEAMSHIP LINE,
FROM
NEW YORK TO WILMINGTON, N. C.



This Line will comprise the following Steamers:
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With such additional Steamers as may be Required to meet the Demands of the Trade.
Sailing from New York every
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The attention of Shippers is called to the LOW RATES and FACILITIES offered by this Line, which are SUPERIOR to any heretofore offered.
THROUGH BILLS OF LADING given to all points on the North Carolina Railroad and its connections, via Goldsboro. J. A. SADLER, Soliciting Agent
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JAMES HAND, " 119 Wall st., N. Y.
Feb 26-tf

TO THE
WHOLESALE TRADE
OF
NORTH CAROLINA.

IN INVITING THE MERCHANTS OF NORTH Carolina to an examination of our
SPRING STOCK,
we desire to inform them that, owing to the rapid increase of our
WHOLESALE BUSINESS,
we shall be prepared to offer them, this season, a stock of
Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods
AND
YANKEE NOTIONS
not equaled in the State of Virginia, embracing every article needed by Virginia and North Carolina Merchants, all of which we intend to sell at
GUARANTEED BALTIMORE PRICES.
We ask of our friends, and the WHOLESALE TRADE, generally, an examination of our stock and prices. We are confident we can save time and expense to merchants by buying of us this season.
One of our firm will remain in New York during the entire season, and we will therefore be in constant receipt of new goods bought at auction, of Manufacturers and Importers.
DAVIS, DRAKE & CO.,
JOBBERS OF DRY GOODS,
Corner of Bank & Sycamore Streets,
PETERSBURG, Va.
Feb. 16-tf

FOSTER'S
COTTON PLANTER.
MITCHELL, ALLEN & CO.,
AGENTS FOR NORTH CAROLINA.
LOCAL AGENTS WANTED.
Feb 25-tf

To the Stockholders of the Western N. C. Railroad.

YOU ARE HEREBY notified that there will be a joint and general meeting of the Stockholders of the Eastern and Western Divisions of the Western North Carolina Railroad Company, at the town of Morganton, on Wednesday, the 7th day of April, A. D. 1869, for the purpose of determining upon the acceptance of the amendments to the Charter of said Company, passed by the General Assembly of North Carolina at the session of 1868-'69, and for the consideration of other matters.
This 25th February, 1869. J. J. MOTT, President of Eastern Division.
G. W. SWEPSON,
Feb 26-1m Pres't Western Division.

A. D. TAYLOR,
Grocer and Commission Merchant.
No. 10 Hargett Street.
Dealer in CHOICE FAMILY SUPPLIES, Liquors, Teas, Coffees, Spices, Wood and Willow Ware, Crockery, &c. feb 3-tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

EXCELSIOR! ÆTNA!
Another Loss Paid, Dec 23, 1868.
$5,000.
"Received of the ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, at the hands of W H. Crow, General Agent, payment in full for my deceased husband's policy, No. 43 681, amounting to $5,000, dated 15th November, 1867.
MRS. BETTIE E. BARNETT, Smithfield, N. C."
ALL THE COST of the above was $59.85. The assets of the Company are now
$11,000,000,
Ample guarantee for future losses. And with all the peculiar advantages proposed by rivals, none have ever yet done better, for the living or the departed, than this old and well tried Institution.
The ÆTNA is not before the American people an under bidder for subjects. Her standard is as liberal and fair as possible for the security and safety of all, who wish to be gainers in the end.
Persons contemplating an investment will find it to their interest to call on the subscriber, or any of his agents.
W. H. CROW, *General State Agent,*
Dec. 29 3m *Raleigh, N. C.*

Copartnership.

I HAVE, THIS DAY associated with me my son, JOHN S. PESCUD, and the Drug business hereafter will be conducted under the firm of
P. F. PESCUD & SON.
The CASH PLAN will be strictly observed.—We must have the cash or an equivalent, on delivery of goods.
The Senior partner returns his thanks to his friends, and the public generally, for their generous support for the past 25 years, and hopes it will be continued to the new firm, who will use their utmost exertions to merit and share increased patronage.
All indebted will please pay up this month, as my old business must be closed speedily.
Jan 2-1869-tf P. F. PESCUD.

WHISKEY! WHISKEY! WHISKEY!
50 bbls. common to fair Whiskey on consignment, which will be sold low, for cash.
Nov 23-tf B P. WILLIAMSON.

DID YOU KNOW!
JENKINS & SKILES,
At Thomasville, N. C.,
BREEDERS AND SHIPPERS OF
CHESTER WHITE HOGS,
Had the FINEST and PUREST STOCK in the United states?
They cordially invite all to visit their Pens and see the fine specimens of this Stock which are sold at about half the usual rates. WARRANTED PURE AND AT LOW RATES.
☞ Send for Circular of prices and particulars. dec 18-6m.

$50 Reward.

TWO OR MORE PERSONS broke into my cellar, on Sunday night last, and stole therefrom some $600 worth of LIQUORS and other wet goods. Among the articles stolen was one TEN gallon and two FIVE gallon kegs of Whiskey, branded "Joe Williams, Yadkin County;" and one keg containing 14 gallons of very fine old Apple Brandy.
I will give FIFTY DOLLARS reward for the apprehension of the thieves, and the recovery of the above named articles.
Raleigh, Jan 14-tf B. P WILLIAMSON.

DIVIDEND SCRIP.
The Raleigh National Bank will pay eighty (80) for N. C Railroad Dividend Scrip.
Jan 26-tf P. A. WILEY, Cashier.

PRAIRIE'S
SAMPLE ROOMS
AND
RESTAURANT,
31 FAYETTEVILLE STREET,
RALEIGH, N. C.
W. R. PEPPER, Superintend't.
THIS ELEGANT AND WELL-KNOWN RESTAURANT is now under the sole charge of the well-known Caterer. W. R. PEPPER, who is fully determined to make this house
The House of Raleigh.
This House has been lately refitted without regard to expense, and is now complete in all its appointments and is supplied with the best
MEAT, FISH AND GAME,
from the Norfolk, Richmond and Raleigh Markets.
The SHELL and OPENED OYSTERS are of an extra quality.
THE BAR
Is supplied with the finest Foreign and Domestic Wines, Liquors, Segars, etc., and in charge of MAGUIRE, who knows how to "mix 'em."
THE BILLIARD HALL
Is a very fine Room, with three first-class Tables, in charge of DICK PARTIN the finest Billiardist in the South.
J. P. PRAIRIE, Proprietor.
dec 23-tf

VENI! VIDI!! VICI!!!
IT HAS NO EQUAL!
G. W. GAIL & AX'S
CELEBRATED
SCOTCH SNUFF,
IS PRONOUNCED BY ALL AMATEUR DIPPERS TO BE THE BEST SNUFF IN THE MARKET.
TRY IT! TRY IT! TRY IT!!
And be convinced of the Fact.
Ask for it and take no other, and see that it has our name on it.
For sale, in Raleigh, by
W. H. Jones & Co, G. T. Stronach,
W. C. Stronach & Co., B. F. Cheatham & Bro,
R. K. Ferrell, L. H. Adams,
Henry Fendt.
NOTICE.—The high reputation that our Snuff has attained has induced certain manufacturers to imitate our trade mark. The quality of our Snuff does not lay in the trade mark, but the superior quality of Tobacco that it is manufactured of.
G. W. GAIL & AX,
Jan. 8, 3m Baltimore.

FRESH GARDEN SEEDS.
We have received our supply of GARDEN SEEDS, all warranted of the best quality, and the growth of 1868.
WILLIAMS & LAMBETH,
Jan. 27-tf Booksellers.

FOR SALE.
A "Common Sense" Sewing Machine, all complete.
Jan. 12-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

SEED OATS.
Just to hand and for sale by
W. H. JONES & CO.,
Feb. 16-tf Auc. & Commission Merchants.

Iron, Iron.
ALL KINDS OF IRON, for Farming purposes, for sale by
Feb. 13-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

THE
Sentinel.

PUBLISHED AT THE
CAPITAL OF THE STATE.
Daily, Semi-Weekly and Weekly.

NEW ARRANGEMENT.

The RALEIGH SENTINEL having passed under the Editorial management of the undersigned, it will, from the present date, be conducted by him.

It will be the zealous and fearless advocate of the CONSTITUTION of the United States, seeking to bring the people back to their ancient reverence for that immortal instrument, and to restore the policy of the country to that honored standard, as the only guarantee of National prosperity.

It will do justice to the men and measures of the present day, whenever they may merit it, but it will unsparingly lash and denounce all who set themselves up in opposition to the Federal Constitution, and hold up to the public indignation corruption and imbecility in high places.

It will ardently seek the promotion of the best interests of North Carolina,—moral, educational, material and political.

THE LATEST NEWS

From every quarter, both by mail and telegraph, will be carefully collated and presented.

Full and correct market and financial reports will be given.

And, in one word, no effort will be spared to make the SENTINEL, in all respects, a reliable

FIRST CLASS NEWSPAPER.

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" six "	3 00
" three "	1 50
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" six "	2 00
" three "	1 00

The SENTINEL has already the largest subscription in the State, and, as its columns and circulation attest, is an unsurpassed medium for advertising.

The friends of the paper and of the cause it advocates are earnestly solicited to aid in its further circulation.

JOB PRINTING,
of all kinds' executed neatly and promptly.

All letters should be addressed to
JOSIAH TURNER, Jr
Dec. 1-tf Editor.

MISCELLANEOUS.

J. B. HUNTER & CO.,
COTTON FACTORS,
AND
Produce Commission Merchants,
CORNER HIGH & WATER STREETS,
PORTSMOUTH, Va.,
Will sell in the markets of NORFOLK and PORTSMOUTH, LIVERPOOL, OR LONDON, Cotton, Tobacco, Naval Stores, Dried Fruit and all marketable Produce.
Liberal advancements made on actual shipments, and personal attention paid to purchase of merchandise.
Nov 17

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DUNN, TODD & CO.,
General Commission Merchants,
FOR THE SALE AND PURCHASE OF
Tobacco, Cotton, Grain, Flour, Produce and Merchandise of every description.
44 South Street, near Exchange Place,
BALTIMORE, Md.
Dec 5-3m

LIQUORS.
5 bbls. Bumgardner Whiskey, warranted pure.
G. T. STRONACH,
Dec 1-tf Commission Merchant.

CORN MEAL
100 bushels prime.
Dec 1-tf G. T. STRONACH.

CORN.
Another supply.
Dec 1-tf G. T. STRONACH.

MRS. C. R. OWEN,
MILLINER and DRESSMAKER,
Hillsboro', Orange County, N. C.
MRS. OWEN, after fifteen years experience in the business, feels capable of suiting the taste of any lady.
She offers her services to the Ladies of North Carolina in making and purchasing BONNETS AND DRESSES for them.
Dec. 8-tf

Millwright and Engineer.

WM. JOHNSON, of Petersburg, Va.,
WILL UNDERTAKE the building and repairing of all kinds of Mills—
GRIST, SAW, AND COTTON MILLS,
Make Surveys construct Dams and Canals, and will furnish all kind of GEAR AND MACHINERY, as low as can be bought anywhere
Refers to R. D. McIlwaine or any of the Merchants of Petersburg, Va., or to Dr. W. R. Miller, Raleigh, N. C. Address Box 580,
Jan 4-3m Petersburg Va.

Wanted.
DIVIDEND SCRIP of the N. C. RAILROAD, for which the RALEIGH NATIONAL BANK will pay 75 cts. for the dollar.
Raleigh, Dec. 2-tf

SUPERIOR CATAWBA WINE, N. C. manufacture. Call and try it.
Jan. 4-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

FOR RENT.
A handsome STORE ROOM and Basement.—Possession at once.
Jan 4-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

SEED WHEAT AND WINTER SEED OATS.
100 bushels Lancaster Red Wheat.
100 " Boughton White "
100 " Pa. Blue Stem "
100 " Prime Winter Seed Oats.
All of the above I have taken care to select, and can recommend as the best to be had
Dec. 1 B. P. WILLIAMSON.

THIEM & MILLER'S
EXCHANGE,
THE FINEST
RESTAURANT
AND
BILLIARD SALOON
IN THE SOUTH.
THIS SALOON has been newly fitted in a style not equalled by any in the whole United States, as regards elegance and completeness.
THE BILLIARD SALOON
contains two new Tables from the celebrated Manufactory of Phelan& Collender, which are universally acknowledged to be the best tables in the country. All things pertaining to a first-class Billiard Saloon will be found here.
THE RESTAURANT
is under the supervision of one of the best cooks in the Southern States, and the cooking at this establishment cannot be surpassed in any city.
All the delicacies of the season will be found in the larder, while an ample supply of live birds is always on hand. Elegant Dinners and Suppers for parties, gotten up in the best style at short notice.
THE BAR
contains the finest assortment of Wines, Liquors and Segars ever brought into the State, and in variety equals that of any bar in the country.
The public will always find polite and attentive bar-keepers to administer to their wants. Of the truth of these statements our large and steadily increasing patronage is the strongest testimony.
THIEM & MILLER,
Dec. 22-tf Proprietors

For Rent.
A FINE LARGE HOUSE AND LOT; House with 8 Rooms, one acre of ground, and all necessary out-houses.
W. H. JONES & CO.,
Jan 12-tf Auction & Com. Merchants.

Cotton Seed Meal.
200 BUSHELS COTTON SEED MEAL, the best COW FOOD in existence, which I will sell for one dollar per bushel.
Jan 16-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON.

LYNN ADAMS.
Iron and Steel Warehouse,
KEEP constantly on hand a full assortment of IRON and STEEL, such as Swedes Iron for farming purposes, English Refined, for Tire, Round, Oval, half oval, Band, Hoop, &c Nail Rods, Sheet Iron, Cast Steel, Blister Steel, German Steel, of round, square and flat sizes The largest and best selected stock in the city. Orders from a distance will receive prompt attention. Feb 4-tf

Fruit Trees and Plants for Sale.
THE UNDERSIGNED, proprietor of the Kingsville Nursery, Mercer County, New Jersey, offers for sale a fine stock of
FRUIT TREES,
including all kinds of small fruits and Strawberry Vines. Having also established a Nursery at Littleton, N. C., all orders addressed to him at that place will receive prompt attention.
SAMUEL G. BILYEU,
Feb. 4-d&w1m Littleton, N. C.

BUNCOMBE BUTTER.
Just received, sweet and rich.
Feb. 9-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

200 TONS OF PURE SOUTH AMERICAN BONE ASH at $30 per ton of 2000 lbs. We recommend this with the same confidence we do Oyster Shell Lime. This is fresh burnt and pure.
J. B. HUNTER & CO.,
General Commission Merchants,
Feb. 9-d&w1m

VALUABLE IMPROVED AND UNIMPROVED CITY PROPERTY for sale by the North Carolina Land Company.
Raleigh, Feb. 3-tf

Grape Vines.
CATAWBA, SCUPPERNONG AND MISH well rooted and ready for planting, raised in the Eastern part of the State.
W. H. JONES & CO.,
Jan 6-tf Auct'rs & Com. Merchants.

RAILROADS.

TO SHIPPERS.
NORTH CAROLINA
ALL STATE
RAILWAY LINES, (THAT USED TO BE!)
THE OLD RALEIGH & GASTON RAIL ROAD THE SHORTEST, QUICKEST, SAFEST AND BEST LINE, NORTH AND SOUTH, TO BE LEFT OUT IN THE COLD, UNLESS SHIPPERS SPECIALLY SAY VIA. R. & G. R. R!
WE inaugurated and are the *Great through Inland Air Line Route* to all the Northern Markets, and have successfully worked the Line to the entire satisfaction of shippers, North and South, for the last ten years, as the *ten Thousand* Shippers in North and South Carolina will testify. We paid the State near Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars for her Interest in this Road—thereby saving the people from Taxation for all time to come $40,000 per year; and we unhesitatingly declare that we can and will give more dispatch to all points, North and South, than any other Line.
NOTICE!
The Great Inland Air Line Freight
ROUTE,
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is the Short Line for Shippers, and you are *required so to direct your Freights*, or they will be taken by another Route!
To insure your Freight being carried over this *Great Inland Air Line* safely, direct your consignors to mark your Freight, Care of Rail Road Agent, Portsmouth, Va., or City Point, Va., *via Raleigh & Gaston Rail Road*, and to ship as follows:
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(Via Annamessic,) Phila., Wilmington and Baltimore Depot, or Clyde's Line of Steamers, 14 N. Delaware Avenue, W. P. Clyde, Agent.
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Baltimore Steam Packet Co., Bay Line Steamers, Foot Union Dock, L. B. Parks, Agent, or Powhatan Steam Boat Co, 90 Light Street Wharf.
C. B. ALLEN, Freight Ag't
Nov 23. Raleigh N. C.

MISCELLANEOUS

NEW METHOD OF WASHING CLOTHES WITHOUT LABOR.
THE AUTOMATIC
CLOTHES WASHER AND BOILER.
THIS BOILER IS MOST EFFECTUAL, reliable and universally recommended. It can be used on any Stove or Range, in any boiler, and the Low Price of the article places it within the reach of every family.
This Boiler operates upon purely philosophical principles, is self-acting, and dispenses with labor and the wear of the clothes.
The hot suds and steam, by the action of heat, are driven up through tubes, poured upon the clothes, and forced through the fabric with astonishing rapidity, cleansing all articles, from the finest laces to the bed-blanket. For Flannels it is invaluable, as it does not full them as in the old process of rubbing and pressing.
The time required for cleansing a boiler full of clothes is twenty to thirty minutes, and nearly three hundred gallons of boiling suds are forced through the fabric, thoroughly loosening and eradicating the dirt WITHOUT LABOR or friction.—A thorough rinsing finishes the process
Washing day will no longer be a terror and dread to housewives. The cost of the Boiler will soon be returned in the SAVING OF TIME AND LABOR, and the great saving in the wear of clothes
The great value of this invention appears so clear, and appeals so directly to common sense, that we have deemed it unnecessary to accompany its introduction with numerous letters of approval, &c.
No invention has met with such ready sale and given such satisfaction. Call at LOUGEE & BROTHER'S, and see its wonderful operations.—We have the exclusive right to sell and manufacture in the state
All orders must be addressed to
J. B. HUNTER & CO.,
Jan 15 tf Raleigh, N. C.
Standard copy.

GROCERIES, &c.
50 kegs Old Dominion Nails.
5 boxes Axes.
75 sacks Liverpool Fine Salt.
10 Tierces Hams.
10 bbls. Prime Mullets.
25 kits No. 1 Boston Mackerel.
10 bbls Peach Blow Potatoes.
1000 lbs new Carolina Rice.
10 sacks Rio Coffee.
5 " Laguira do.
200 lbs Green and Black Tea—choice brands.
50 sacks N. C. Flour.
25 bbls Brown, Refined and Crush'd Sugars.
10 kegs Glades and Goshen Butter.
20 Gross Parlor Matches.
50 Reams large and small sized Wrapping Paper
Any or all of which can be bought on good terms.
Dec 1 B. P. WILLIAMSON.

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Will practice in the Courts of Davidson, Forsythe, Guilford, Alamance and Randolph Counties. Also in the District and Supreme Courts and Courts of Bankruptcy.
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Feb. 2-tf

To North Carolina Farmers.
PLANT CANES AND MAKE YOUR OWN SUGARS and SYRUPS by Weller & Hatcher's patented process. Sugar thus made will cost about 8 cents per pound, and Syrup about 30 cts. per gallon. District, County and individual Rights for sale. Send for circulars with full particulars. Agents wanted
WM. F. BEASLEY,
Sole Agent for North Carolina,
Feb 10-tap1 Tarboro', N. C.

APPLES, APPLES.
10 bbls just received.
Feb. 9-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

A Safe and Good Investment.
FOR SALE, $25,000 in N. C. RAILROAD 8 per cent. 1st Mortgage Coupon Bonds.
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Dec. 1 Auct'rs & Com. Merchants.

PIANO FORTES TUNED AND REPAIRED. Leave orders at J. H. ENNISS' Bookstore.
Feb. 6-tf

LAND PLASTER DELIVERED AT DEPOT here for $14 per ton of 2,000 lbs.
Genuine Peruvian Guano at lowest Market rates.
Cash orders solicited.
J. B. HUNTER & CO.,
Feb 9-d&w1m Portsmouth, Va.

Carolina Farmer.
SUBSCRIPTIONS to this new and valuable Journal taken at the Farmer's Hall, where specimen numbers may be seen. Every Farmer who regards his own, or the interests of the Old North State, should subscribe at once
Feb. 18-tf JAS. M TOWLES, Ag't.

FAMILY MESS PORK, N. C. BACON, C. R. Sides.
A D TAYLOR,
Feb. 17-tf No. 10 Hargett St.

THE PROPRIETOR OF A MOST USEFUL and well paying invention, would dispose of an interest in it, for an interest in some lucrative business in a healthy and flourishing town or city in this State. The invention can be combined with the business. Address this office, Raleigh. Feb. 25 1w

SARATOGA SPRINGS AT RALEIGH, N. C.
CALL AT
P. F. PESCUD & SON'S,
AND TRY THE
EXCELSIOR SPRING WATER,
ON DRAUGHT,
Fresh from the Spring at Saratoga.
Jan. 14-tf

DRY GOODS.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!
AT HOME AGAIN!!
WITH A HOUSE RAMMED AND PACKED FULL OF
NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS,
FOR
1868.
COME TO
A. CREECH'S!
For Ladies' Goods! For Gentlemen's Goods! For Misses' Goods! For Boys' Goods! Ditto for Children!
MY STOCK IS LARGE AND VERY COMplete. Allow me to say that you see some very strange advertisements. Some say they bought goods before the rise—some after the decline—some just in time—some in luck again—some buy goods cheaper than anybody else—some selling goods at unprecedentedly low prices—some controlling the trade &c, &c., and all such stuff What a lucky set of individuals!
Now just let ME tell you, that there is more humbug than poetry in all this. Don't every man, woman and child know that it is humbug—large enough to be seen even with one eye shut? So let them talk, puff and blow, but STOP, LOOK OUT! HANDS OFF! and show your good judgment by
COMING TO CREECH'S
to buy your goods. I intend to run through this campaign with my motto, to give each and every individual value received for their support!
A fine opportunity for the ladies to exercise their inalienable rights, as well as the gentlemen. Don't stop until you COME TO CREECH'S. You will find me at R. Smith's corner, attending to my business, always ready to give you the worth of your money.
A. CREECH,
Fayetteville Street,
Dec 1-tf Raleigh, N.C.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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Every Lawyer and Clerk of Superior Courts who has not the work, should get a copy.
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E. B. CLARK, of N. C.,
WITH
GWATHMEY BROTHERS,
WHOLESALE GROCERS
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
13 WIDE WATER STREET,
NORFOLK, Va.
Refer to 1st National Bank, Citizen's Bank, Norfolk; Messrs. Spotts & Gibson, Messrs. Hill & Pleasants, Richmond, Va.; Col. M. G. Harman, Messrs. Powell & Blackley, Staunton; Messrs. Hurt & Co., Lynchburg; Messrs. Boneal & Co. Baltimore; Capt. Henry Fink, General Supt. of trans N. & P., S. S., and V. & T. R. R.
Dec 19-3m

J. P. PRAIRIE,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
LIQUORS, WINES, ALES, SEGARS AND TOBACCO,
No. 31 FAYETTEVILLE STREET.
I OFFER TO MY PATRONS and the public a complete assortment of
Liquors, Segars, and Tobacco,
Composed of
FINE FRENCH BRANDIES, IRISH AND SCOTCH WHISKIES, JAMAICA AND ST. CROIX RUM, CHAMPAGNE SHERRY, PORT AND MADEIRA WINES, HOLLAND GIN, ENGLISH, SCOTCH AND AMERICAN ALES STOUGHTON AND GERMAN BITTERS, &c.,
Which I will sell at reasonable rates.
My long experience in the Liquor business, and the facilities offered to me by Northern Houses, enables me to sell BETTER LIQUORS FOR LESS MONEY, than any other House in Raleigh.
Also on hand, a well selected stock of GROCERIES, at the lowest market prices.
Dec. 17-tf

AGRICULTURAL LIME.
300 TONS SHELL LIME.
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300 TONS SHELL LIME.
300 TONS SHELL LIME.
Which I will deliver on board the cars at Portsmouth for seven dollars and fifty cents ($7,50) per Ton of 2,000 lbs.
Deposit your money and give me your orders.
Raleigh, Dec 1-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON.

For Sale.
SWEET FRESH MOUNTAIN BUTTER, in small packages.
Jan. 9-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

Plows, Plows, Plows.
I HAVE on hand OF OUR OWN MANUFACTURE, now ready for delivery,
500 No. O Plows.
500 " A 6 "
100 Self sharpening Plows.
100 Cotton and Corn "
10,000 lbs Plow Castings, consisting of Points, Bars and Mouldboards.
1,000 lbs. Plow Bolts.
A liberal discount made to the trade.
Jan. 16-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON.

THE NORTH CAROLINA LAND COMPANY have purchasers for 5 or 6 City Building Lots.
Feb 5-tf

ZELL'S AMMONIATED BONE SUPER PHOSPHATE a superior Fertilizer for Corn, Oats, Cotton, Tobacco and Field and Garden Crops generally. Call and see sample, and get circular.
W. H. JONES & CO.,
Feb. 11-tf Auction & Com. Merchants.

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